

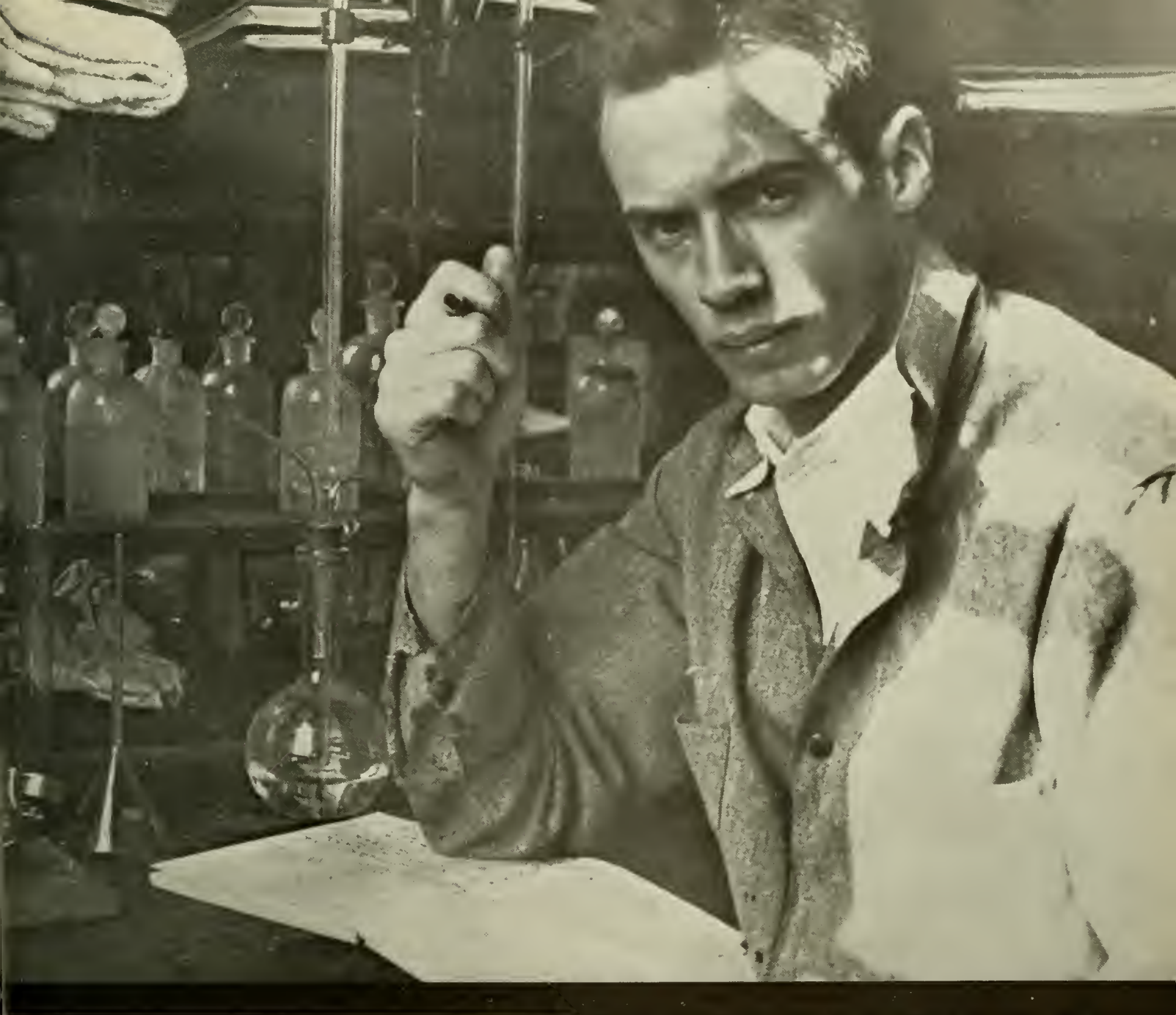
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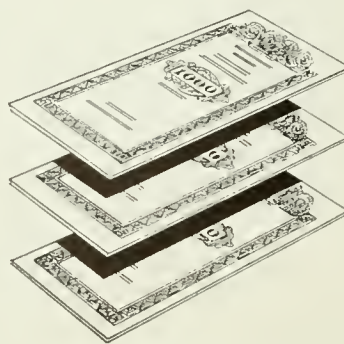
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## The Installation of Dr. Wriston

**S**IMPLE dignity is the goal of those planning the exercises on February 3rd when Dr. Henry M. Wriston will become the eleventh President of Brown University. The formal installation, in accordance with the expressed wish of Dr. Wriston, will be a modest, unballyhooped affair with few participants and witnesses from beyond the company of Brunonians and the University's immediate neighbors in Rhode Island.

According to a program adopted in mid-January, the ceremonies of installation will take place in Sayles Hall at 4 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, February 3rd. They will be preceded by an academic procession in which Corporation and Faculty alone will march.

An invocation by Dr. Arthur W. Cleaves, pastor of the First Baptist Meeting House in Providence, will begin the rites, to be followed by a brief address by Professor James P. Adams, Acting President of Brown. The induction proper will be by Chancellor Henry D. Sharpe, while the senior Fellow will receive the engagement of Dr. Wriston as a member of the Board of Fellows. The new President will make a response, and the ceremony will conclude with a benediction by the Rt. Rev. James DeWolf Perry, D.D., Presiding Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church of America. Choral music will be the contribution of the Brown University Chapel Choir under the direction of Professor Arthur B. Hitchcock.

**A**TTEENDANCE at the formal installation will of necessity be limited, although the University is attempting to make the gathering as representative as possible. Members of the Corporation and their wives have been invited, as have members of the Faculty and their wives. About 60 undergraduates, designated by Dean Samuel T. Arnold, will represent the men, while Dean Margaret S. Morriss is designating about 30 undergraduates to represent Pembroke College, and Dean R. G. D. Richardson of the Graduate School is designating about 15 graduate students.

There will be representatives of the alumni body, including officers and the executive committee of the Associated Alumni, Trustees of the Alumni Fund, the Alumni Monthly, and members of the central committee of the Brown University Council. Each Brown Club has been asked to send two representatives, and there will be two invited from each alumni class, the selection of the individuals being made through the President of the Associated Alumni. Officers and members of the executive board of the Alumnae Association, the Alumnae Fund Committee, two representatives from each Alumnae Club and two from each alumnae class will also be in the Pembroke delegation.

In recognition of the University's happy relations with City and State, the Governor of Rhode Island and the Mayor of Providence have been invited, together with the Director of Education for Rhode Island, the Justices of the

Supreme Court, the Judges of the Superior Court and the United States District Judge, the State Librarian, and the Superintendent of Public Schools in Providence. The Presidents of Rhode Island State College and Providence College, of the Rhode Island College of Education, and the Rhode Island School of Design are other dignitaries expected. From libraries and hospitals with which Brown has co-operating relationships, the presidents of boards of trustees and executive heads have been invited. There will be representatives of the local clergy, as well.

**W**HILE the installation will take place before a limited company, all sons and friends of Brown are most cordially urged to take part in a reception to Dr. and Mrs. Wriston which will take place the same evening. This will be held in Alumnae Hall between 8:30 and 10:30, and particular invitations are extended to all members of the Corporation, Faculty, alumni and alumnae bodies, together with wives and husbands.

On Thursday, February 4th, the whole undergraduate body at Brown will have the opportunity to hear and meet the new President. An undergraduate assembly has been





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arranged in the First Baptist Meeting House at 9 o'clock in the morning, at which time Dr. Wriston will give an address. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon Dr. and Mrs. Wriston will hold an informal reception to the undergraduate men and the men graduate students in the Art Gallery of Faunce House.

A similar day's program is announced for Pembroke College on Friday, February 5th, with an assembly and address in Alumnae Hall at 9 a. m. and a reception there at 4 p. m. for undergraduate women and women graduate students.

The committee which has planned the installation is headed by Acting President Adams, Chancellor Sharpe, John Nicholas Brown, Claude R. Branch, Professor Theodore Collier, and Professor William H. Kenerson.

**T**wo Brown Clubs in the Middle West went the distinction of first welcoming Dr. Wriston to the fellowship of Brunonians, doing so in the last month before his departure for Providence. It was in Chicago that he made his first official appearance before a group of Brown alumni, thrilling the club there by his talk at the dinner held at the University Club on Tuesday, December 8th. Two days later the Milwaukee alumni paid similar homage.

"He made a tremendously fine impression on every one," the Chicago Club's correspondent wrote of Dr. Wriston. "He spoke in an easy, informal manner, the first part of his speech more or less of an amusing running talk on Brown, his work, the various activities of a university, and a humorous commentary on plans.

"He hoped, he said, that the University of Chicago plan was a plan to end all plans, and that it was the only plan that worked because no one paid any attention to it. He had a whimsical humor in his speaking that certainly carried his audience along with him.

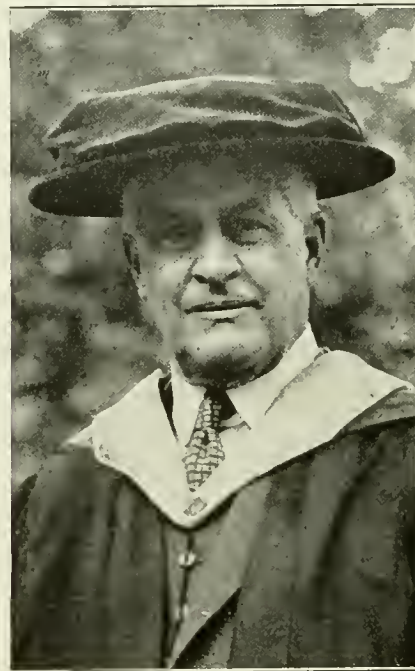
"Toward the end he waxed serious and talked of the part that alumni play in any university. He said that the greatest contribution that alumni could make was to send better and better material to their college — for the college can be no better than the men it has to work with. . . .

"A brilliant talk in every respect. Everybody, old and young, was delighted with Dr. Wriston, and impressed by his obvious ability, his breadth, his keen mind. We will go long and far with Dr. Wriston I am sure."

**B**ESIDES Dr. Wriston, the alumni at the head table were President John Monk '24, Elmer T. Stevens '04, Dr. George B. Utley '99 of the Newberry Library, Rev. George D. Allison '05, Professor Marcus W. Jernegan '96 of the University of Chicago, Fred C. W. Parker '00, Rev. William M. Faux '97, Frank L. Morse '86, and Rev. James M. Stifler, D.D., '25, honorary. Also present was James Wood, headmaster of the Chicago Latin School.

The alumni representation was a broad one, taking in many classes from '86 to '36. Several fathers of undergraduates at Brown were among the guests, including Messrs. Fritschle, Lhotka, Derflinger, Walker, and Oppenheimer; and there were telegrams from President Gordon K. Chalmers '25 of Rockford College, Acting President James P. Adams, and others. Furber I. Marshall '19, former member of the Club, now of Troy, N. Y., was in town, and attended the dinner. Wallace R. Lane '99 and Col. Noble B. Judah '04 of the Board of Trustees of the University sent regrets, being obliged to be out of the city.

The publicity committee, led by F. P. Bassett, Jr. '33, did a fine piece of work telling the Chicago and suburban newspapers about the visit of Dr. Wriston, and several newspapers carried pictures of the President-elect, who attended



INDUCTOR

Chancellor Henry D. Sharpe will perform this function for the University when Dr. Wriston becomes Brown's 11th President.

the annual meeting of the trustees of the Institute of Paper Chemistry at Lawrence College before returning to Appleton.

**C**ALLED together by Eugene L. McIntyre '04, the Brown men of Milwaukee and their wives met President-elect Wriston at luncheon at the City Club, December 10th. Twenty-seven were present, including six alumni of Lawrence College, from which Dr. Wriston is coming to Brown. The 20 Brown representatives including alumni ranging from the Class of 1891 up to and including the Class of 1935, as well as the parents of students and also of some prospective students at Brown.

Dr. Wriston spoke for nearly an hour. McIntyre reported that his talk was captivating and instructive in the highest degree, and that everyone present felt that Brown should be congratulated "upon securing this splendid gentleman and outstanding scholar as its president."

Present were C. Abram Mendenhall '91, Dr. Abraham LeGrand '96 and Mrs. LeGrand, Thomas E. B. Pope '02, Eugene L. McIntyre '04 and Mrs. McIntyre, Frank L. McIntyre '06 and Mrs. McIntyre, Dr. Roy W. Benton '18 and Mrs. Benton, James R. Murphy '18, Charles L. Scanlon '23, John E. Brennan '28, and Mrs. Brennan, Leonard Oster '30, John L. Feeny '35 and Mrs. Feeny, and the following parents of Brown undergraduates: Mrs. Margaret Frank and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent F. Nast. Also present was Mrs. Guy Lindow whose son Allen expects to enter Brown next September.

Among the first engagements which Dr. Wriston will fill after his installation as President will be to attend the annual dinner of the Brown Club of New York as its principal speaker. The date of that dinner is February 15.

He is also expected to have a prominent share in the deliberations of the Advisory Council of the Associated Alumni at their meetings February 21st and 22nd.



## History's Headquarters

**F**AR from deserted was the Brown campus during this past Christmas recess, for it was the scene of perhaps the most notable academic gathering in Providence in a decade. To the University and the city came some 1200 American historians, including the leading figures in the field, to attend the 51st annual sessions of the American Historical Association and its brood of kindred societies. To them Brown was host, smoothly guiding the mechanics of deliberation, ministering to their comforts and their curiosities, impressing them to no inconsiderable extent with its character and resources.

During the convention itself, the Brunonian hosts were aware that it was the largest gathering in the long history of the Association, that the distinguished visitors showed marked interest in the programs. Only now, with the accumulation of compliments, do the hard-worked Brown committeemen appreciate to the full what a success the sessions had been, what a credit to Brown that was.

Only one outstanding American historian was missing from the meeting. As President-designate of Brown, destined to take office in another few weeks, Dr. Henry M. Wriston of Lawrence did not wish to anticipate his other

arrival. How highly his colleagues in history regard him, they were eager to tell Brown men, however. Among his colleagues was Professor Guy Stanton Ford of the University of Minnesota, President-elect of the American Historical Association, whom Brown men recall gratefully as a member of the famous Survey Committee. Knowing Brown and Dr. Wriston intimately, he declared the forthcoming relationship ideal.

**M**EETING concurrently with the American Historical Association, were the Mississippi Valley Historical Association, the Conference of State and Local Historical Societies, the Agricultural History Society, the American Society of Church History, the American Catholic Historical Association, the History of Science Society, the Bibliographical Society of America, the Mediaeval Academy of America, the National Council for the Social Studies, and the Business Historical Society.

Sessions of the Bibliographical Society and the Conference of State and Local Historical Societies were held in the John Carter Brown Library, repository of the pre-eminent collection of Americana. It was a particularly appropriate situs for those meetings. But all the historians marvelled at the wealth of material hinted at in the exhibit of representative items from its unparalleled treasury. If that phrase sounds extreme, we have only to cite the statement of a visiting librarian who, when asked if these materials were for sale, replied, "I regret to say that they are the permanent possession of Brown University."

Previously the greatest number of registrants at a similar convention had been 820, at the Boston meeting in 1930. For the Providence sessions there were 995 registered, which meant the attendance was probably 300 more than that. Thirty-seven states were represented, in addition to the District of Columbia, Canada, England, and Germany. The figures demonstrate the scope of the Association and remind one of how Brown's repute should be enhanced by the visitors' contact with it. New York and other metropolitan newspapermen were on hand to cover the sessions in detail.

**S**PEAKING at the annual dinner of the A. H. A., Toastmaster Dixon R. Fox of Union College reminded the historians that the Professor Franklin Jameson, one of the founders of the Association, had been a member of the History Faculty of Brown at the time and it was here that he first edited the *American Historical Review*.

Brunonians had their share in the conduct of the various meetings. Professor Theodore Collier was chairman of the joint session of the American Historical Association and the American Society of Church History. Trustee John Nicholas Brown presided over the joint session of the A. H. A. and the Business Historical Society on economic history. He was toastmaster at the dinner of the Mediaeval Academy of America. Lawrence C. Wroth, librarian of the John Carter Brown Library, gave a paper on "The Bibliographical Way" before the joint session of the A. H. A., and the Bibliographical Society of America; and another on the John Carter Brown Library before the joint session of the A.



ELEVENTH SITTER

Dr. Manning's chair, treasured relic of the first president of Brown University, will figure in the installation ceremonies of Dr. Wriston.

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H. A. and the Conference of State and Local Historical Societies. Professor Verner W. Crane of the University of Michigan, formerly at Brown, was chairman of the former meeting. Chancellor Henry D. Sharpe was chairman of the general session of the A. H. A. Professor C. A. Robinson, Jr., presided over a session on Ancient History. Professor Norman L. Kilpatrick talked on "Rhode Island Librarian" to the Bibliographical Society. But for the most part, Brown historians were busy with details of management.

The Rhode Island School of Design, in addition to hanging a special exhibition of American portraits, welcomed the historians at a tea.

**F**RED S. PECK of Barrington lent some items of particular value and interest from his collection for the visitors' perusal. Among the manuscripts were notable letters of prominent signers of the Declaration of Independence, of Washington, (chiefly those written from Rhode Island) and Franklin. Portions of the long lost intended first message to Congress by the first President of the United States were displayed. There were letters from Wolfe and Montcalm, the latter written from camp near Quebec in 1758; the ciphered "cow letter" of Benedict Arnold and one in clear from Major André. In lighter vein were the paired letters of Jenny Lind and P. T. Barnum. A custom-house receipt for a chest of tea imported on the Ship Ann and Hope from Hong Kong recalled this activity of Brown's early benefactor. A letter of James Manning, President of Brown, was another of the autograph letters signed (A. L. S., as the collectors abbreviate them, and not mere autographs) whose content was of such genuine historical interest as to attract and hold the attention of the learned visitors to the campus.

At the hotel door of each visitor there was left one morning a reprint of the ancient Providence newspaper which described the visit of George Washington to the city in 1790, the illumination of the college edifice, and the conferring of the honorary degree.

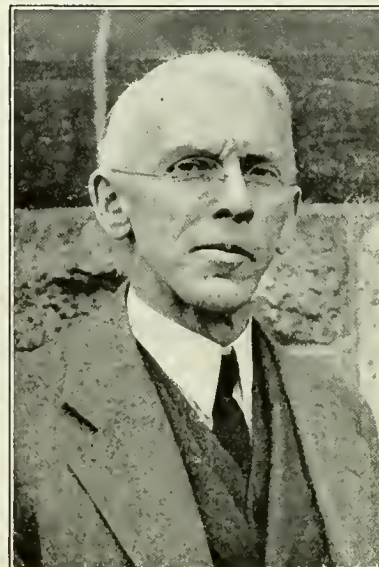
While praise was roundly bestowed to all who aided in the conduct of the assemblies, particular portions went to Professor James B. Hedges of Brown, who was chairman of the committee on program, to Chancellor Sharpe, chairman, and Professor Robert H. George, executive secretary of the committee on local arrangements. Of Professor Hedges it was said in jocular complaint that he had provided such good topics and speakers that there wasn't time for the usual lobby amenities,—the historians had to go to the meetings because of their interest. The other committee's work was uncommonly efficient and hospitable, it was a matter of general comment.

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### Prize-Winning Photograph

**A** PRIZE-WINNER is the cover of this month's BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY, and rightly so, as most readers will agree. It was picked from dozens of prints submitted in a competition sponsored by the Brown Club of Providence. Especially eligible for the prize were those undergraduate enthusiasts who are members of the Brown Camera Club.

The judges, Professor Frederick N. Tompkins, Nelson B. Jones and W. Chesley Worthington, liked best the mid-night photograph of a laboratory worker, reproduced as a timely cover this month as the campus prepares for mid year's. The prize-winning photographer was Alfred E. Kessler '36.



A PRESIDENTIAL RETURN  
Professor Guy Stanton Ford of the University of Minnesota came to Brown as a member of the famous Survey Committee. When he was here last month, it was as president-elect of the American Historical Association, convened at Brown.

### Head-First Recovery

**I**NSTEAD of on a sports page, it was on the science page of many a newspaper that the name of Albert C. Cornsweet '29, star fullback of the top-flight 1928 Brown varsity, appeared the other day. Al, who took graduate work at Duke, is now a member of the psychology faculty at the University of North Carolina. He has been studying the effects of ether anesthesia and especially the wearing off of those effects. *Science Service* carried a story on his findings.

Recovery from ether anesthesia, he discovered, goes head-first. That is, the head and related parts are the first which are able to feel and respond to stimuli again, then the fore-part of the body and front limbs; finally the wave of recovery sweeps all the way aft. Mr. Cornsweet reports that this head-first, tail-last recovery prevailed in white rats which he had kept anesthetized for period of from four to seven minutes.

An interesting feature of the experiments was that even though the animals showed evidence of recovery of feeling and response in this fore-and-aft fashion, they could not stand up and move about normally until their hind legs and tail regions were fully recovered.

Mr. Cornsweet is now investigating with other animals and other anesthetics to find how widespread this phenomenon is in the animal world. He is also making tests on smaller body areas, to determine more narrowly the direction and rate of travel of the recovery wave.

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### Dr. Barbour's New Address

Dr. Clarence A. Barbour, President-Emeritus of Brown, has not moved far from the Presidential mansion in taking up his new residence in Providence. His address is now 129 Hope Street.



## Brunonians in the Headlines

### *Lord & Taylor's President*

**W**ALTER HOVING '20, chairman of the Lord & Taylor, this month succeeded Joseph E. Priddy as president of this leading New York department store, another advancement in the swift rise of this able executive. The *New York Times*, recalling that Hoving won renown as an athlete at Brown and was included by Walter Camp in his All-American selections, said he is "believed to rank as one of the youngest executives ever to head a leading department store of the country." He is 39.

Mr. Hoving, a leader among the younger generation of retail executives, started in retailing in 1924 when he joined R. H. Macy & Co., Inc., in New York, as a member of the "executive training squad" of the store. His progress was swift, and he became executive vice president of Macy's in 1928. He had merchandising supervision of a number of major groups of departments throughout the store, including men's clothing, home furnishings, radios, etc. He became recognized as a merchandising expert and in 1931 served as chairman of the merchandising division of the National Retail Dry Goods Association.

Early in 1932, Mr. Hoving left Macy's to join Montgomery Ward and Company as vice president and director. He played a leading role in developing the merchandising of the mail-order concern, both from the standpoint of its catalogue and through its retail store units, said the *Times*. He continued with Montgomery Ward until April of last year, when he became affiliated with the Associated Merchandising and Lord & Taylor. He continues as chairman of the board of Lord & Taylor.

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### *Touchdown Prexy*

**F**RED W. MURPHY '99 has succeeded Albert H. Sharpe, Jr., as president of the Touchdown Club of New York City for 1937. Murphy, David L. Fultz '98 and the late John W. Heisman '91 were original members of the Club, which brings together old and young football players and keeps up interest in the college game. At the December meetings more than 200 football players of other years, the *New York Herald Tribune* said, stood silently in tribute to the memory of Heisman, famous coach and founder of the Touchdown Club.

Samuel P. Metzger, Jr., '25, has been elected to the executive committee of the Touchdown Club, members of which are all former football players.

Mr. Fultz was a guest of honor at the dinner given by the *New York World Telegram* in New York City last month to make awards to the *World Telegram's* all-metropolitan schoolboy football teams.

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### *King-Coverer*

**C**HARLES A. SELDEN '93, London correspondent of the *New York Times*, was on duty all hours of the day and night during the weeks preceding the formal abdication of King Edward VIII; and his despatches were clear, concise, and in his best style especially when he was dealing with the unusual constitutional aspects of the situation.

### *Semi-Official Traveler*

**S.** C. LAMPORT '06, president of the Lamport Manufacturing Supply Company of New York, is back in this country after a long journey through Europe as a good-will messenger and trade pioneer.

He left the United States last July with what the correspondent of the *New York Herald Tribune* in Vienna called "a semi-official mission from Daniel C. Roper, Secretary of Commerce, to study the possibilities for an extension of trade between the United States and Europe."

He visited England, France, Russia, Poland, Austria, Hungary, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia and "in his opinion, the advances made by the Russians since he last was in the country three years ago are an outstanding epic of civilization and progress and most astounding." He was impressed by the intense gold production in Russia, and concerned with the good trade possibilities in goods which do not conflict too sharply with American products.

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### *Dutchess's Senator*

**S**ENATOR FREDERICK H. BONTECOU '17, re-elected to the New York State Senate from the 28th District, which includes Columbia, Dutchess and Putnam Counties, is one of the most active Republicans in the Senate. He is also vice president of the Dutchess County Boy Scout Council, chairman of the board of directors of Vassar Hospital, Poughkeepsie, and chairman of the Dutchess County Planning Board. His home, Rally Farms, is one of the show places of Dutchess County.

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### *Parker Penman*

**K**ENNETH S. PARKER '18, president of Parker Pen Company, Janesville, Wis., announced last month approval of the Company's 1937 advertising appropriation, which is considerably larger than that spent in 1936. Parker is quoted as saying that the increased budget is based upon an estimated gain of more than 25 per cent in sales in 1936 or 1935, together with anticipation of even greater gains during 1937. The Parker advertising will appear in more than 400 magazines and newspapers in the next 12 months.

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### *Investigating Technique*

**S**AMUEL H. LEVY '28, attorney with the Securities Exchange Commission in Washington, recently had the honor, his home town paper, the *Newport Herald* says, "of addressing the classes on administrative law at Yale Law School. His subject was 'Technique of Investigation.'" Levy went to Washington two years ago to work for the AAA. His present address is Room 403, SEC, 1728 Pennsylvania Avenue.

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### *Lonely Elector*

Leon S. Gay '06, woolen manufacturer of Cavendish, was one of Vermont's electors casting votes in the Electoral College last month for the Republican ticket.

## A Banner Year in Brown Sports

**O**BSCURED by the dismal memories of varsity football the fact remains that, in general, the year 1936 was the most successful which Brown has known in sports in a decade. And varsity teams, entering upon their winter schedules, were not the least to contribute to that notable performance, preserving their records intact up to the holiday suspension.

Some of the things that made 1936 a banner year in Brown athletics were these: The varsity soccer team was undefeated and won the New England Intercollegiate Soccer League title. The Bruin defeated Yale twice in baseball and in basketball and hockey, the last named triumph the most remarkable since Brown resumed the sport. The varsity baseball, varsity basketball, varsity hockey, freshman football, freshman golf, and freshman tennis teams had outstanding success. The soccer championship was the third New England championship of the year, following the wrestling and swimming titles which the Bear had also earned. The varsity track forces finished second in their New England title meet. There were 103 victories as against 76 losses.

Resuming activity before mid-year's the varsity athletes, with the single exception of football players, had not known a defeat since May 25. As appraised by Joe Nutter, statistician and publicist for the Athletic Council, these were the conspicuous joys of 1936:

"The 10-inning triumph over Yale in baseball with Perry Elrod pounding out a circuit drive in the extra frame for a Frank Merriwell finish, the overtime triumph over Yale in hockey, the baseball triumphs over Columbia, Harvard, Providence College, Rhode Island and Yale; the basketball triumph over Rhode Island and Yale in successive games, the halting of Amherst's winning streak in dual track, and the soccer triumphs over Yale and Dartmouth are some of the outstanding victories of the year. The varsity football team had to be content with the championship of Rhode Island."

**T**HE most ecstatic moments of the winter sport's competition before Christmas came in the varsity hockey game against Yale. With 30 seconds of play left in the last period, the 1500 Brown supporters at the Rhode Island Auditorium were content with a "moral victory," having seen their sextet hold one of the East's strongest teams to a 2-1 score. When Yale sank a counter less than two minutes after the opening whistle, she seemed to justify her position as heavy favorite. But the Brunonians found themselves, grew less cautious, and evened the score on a fine goal by Shaw nine minutes later. With a Brown man in the penalty box Yale's second goal came near the end of the period. And there the score rested through the second and all but a half-minute of the third.

In a furious bit of action near the Yale goal Pete Davis, wing on the now-famous "D-Man" forward line with Ben Darling and Bob Dye, made the tying shot. The demonstration from the crowd was tremendous but was capped when Tingley took a pass from Welch to capitalize a break in the overtime, scoring the winning goal. Captain Skillings in goal, the outstanding player on the ice throughout the game, was congratulated by the entire Yale squad after the final bell.

The victory was the second of the season for the hockey squad under Coach Tom Taylor, M. I. T. having been subdued 5-0 in an experimental game that saw 18 Brunonians take their turn on the ice. Dye scored twice, with other goals by Darling, Davis, and Simpson. With two of the defense men injured, the team had a close call from Northeastern, but kept its slate clean with a 5-4 success, in the January game that re-opened its schedule.

**I**N the meantime the basketball team was giving a valiant performance in running up a string of triumphs. Captain Ken Kennedy, high-scoring centre for New England in the last two seasons, was ineligible until after Christmas, and three other veterans from last season were not in the line-up until the holidays had passed. The squad was made up of short players, with the result that Coach Art Kahler built his offensive around a hard-running, fast-breaking style that wore down the opponents by speed and persistence.

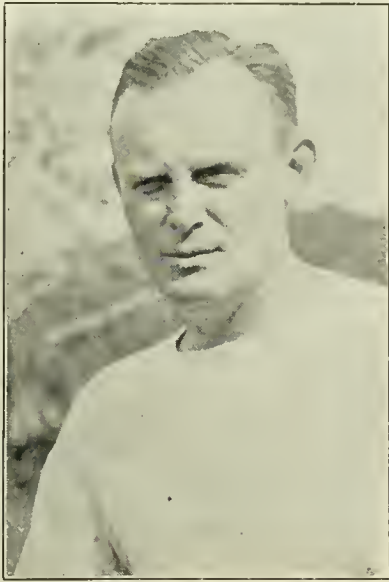
Up to the Christmas interval, the quintet had not lost an engagement, even against the highly favored Trinity team which, with the same line-up, had defeated the Bruins in 1935-6. The return of Kennedy and the others was counted on to strengthen the squad in the second stage of the schedule.

The season opened with an interesting game against a strong Alumni outfit that featured Floren, Malkowski, Karaban, Hammer, and Samdperil for one set of players (the most effective); the Heller brothers, Abe, Sam, and Hyman; three players from the class of 1936, Harrison Van Aken, Red Armstrong, and Ray Noonan; and Morin, Schein, Bradshaw, and Nerdlinger. The grads made a slow start, trailing 24-12 at the half, but nearly forced the game



SECOND YEAR  
Denny Myers, varsity  
line coach, has been re-  
engaged for the 1937  
football campaign.





TWELFTH YEAR  
Tuss McLaughry, head coach of Brown varsity football since 1926, and given a new contract, looks hopefully to 1937.

into overtime with a late rally that carried the score to 34-36. The varsity thus avenged a hairbreadth defeat last year when the Alumni led by a single point.

Hustling tactics won out against Clark 38-34 to overcome the handicaps of height. Nine of the ten Brunonians scored, with Morcum netting 10. Clark twice took the lead in the last half, although the Bear had the half-time advantage of 18-14 and one of 24-16 early in the closing period. M. I. T., providing scant opposition, went down, 48-20, before two quintets that Kahler alternated. The midway advantage was 29-5. When Trinity was beaten, it was ruled a distinct upset, and again it was speed against height. The Hartford players kept in the running by caging 13 of 19 foul shots, while Brown for the second game in a row was scoring 21 goals. Three of the Bruins were out on fouls when Trinity tied the score, 38-38, on a free shot, but the overtime was all Brown's. It was a contest full of color and spectacular play. Dartmouth, a strong "home-court" quintet, snapped the string of Bear successes in a 48-38 game at Hanover, January 6th. The Freshmen beat M. I. T. Freshmen 26-23 and lost to Bryant College 39-28 in their first two engagements.

**A**GAIN Coach Barry led a dozen members of the swimming squad to Fort Lauderdale, Fla., during the Christmas holidays. There they kept training, represented the East in a meet against a Western team, saved a girl from drowning, participated in swimming demonstrations and discussions, and otherwise anticipated their season. It opened auspiciously against Boston University. Sun-tanned, the athletes, virtually the same group which won the New England title last year, took six of nine events and all second places to win 51-26. Fred Forbes, Junior star, captured both the distance swims, doing the 220 in 2:26 2/5 and the 440 in 5:21 1/5. Judd and George were close at the finish of the 100, with Hemmerdinger and Bob Love accounting for the 50, Hayes and Corn the 150-yard backstroke, Beavan and Brown second places in the distance events, and Levy

and Dean diving for first and second honors, the former amassing the extraordinary total of 96.7.

In the opening wrestling meet, against Wesleyan, the first four Brown entries made certain that their team could not lose, when Cunningham, Follett, Rowe, and Lathrop, the New England 145-pound champion, won their bouts by falls. King dropped a close decision and Baldwin, conceding 20 pounds in the 175-pound class, was thrown; but Senecal's decision and Johnson's quick fall gave the Bear a 28-8 advantage.

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## Engaged for a Twelfth Season

**J**UST before he went to New York to preside over the midwinter sessions of the Football Coaches' Association, of which he was president, "Tuss" McLaughry was re-engaged as coach of football by the Brown University Athletic Council. Next season will be his 12th in command on Brown Field and follows three years only occasionally lightened by victory. The Athletic Council, however, looked beyond to the fine records of such years as 1926, 1928 and 1932, to his high reputation in coaching circles, and the staunch support which many students, alumni, and experts continued to give him even in defeat.

Line Coach Denny Myers, whose forwards showed marked improvement as the 1936 season (his first at Brown) progressed, will also return for another attempt to boost Brunonian gridiron fortunes.

The announcement of McLaughry's re-engagement was a laconic one: "Samuel T. Arnold, chairman of the Brown University Athletic Council, announced today (December 17th) that the council has re-engaged Mr. De Ormond McLaughry as head coach of varsity football." Terms of the contract were not revealed at the time, nor subsequently.

The signing of McLaughry brought to a close the round of speculation in the Brown alumni ranks and ended the round of meetings in which alumni opinions were sought by the council members.

**T**O the *Brown Daily Herald*, the coach said: "I am naturally very happy over my re-appointment. I feel that my continued relations with Brown will see a football boom. We've reached the lowest point in our gridiron history, and I think that things will definitely change. While I'm sorry to see some of my boys graduating, I think that we have enough potential material to attain the good years of the 'Iron Men'."

Graduating football-captain, Warren Ostergard, told the *Herald* he was happy to see McLaughry receive an extension of his tenure. "He ought to do well," said the captain who had not played in a major game victory in his entire varsity career.

Commented the *Herald* editorially: "The re-appointment . . . demonstrates that despite four disastrous seasons at Brown, his ability is still recognized by the Athletic Council.

"The usual reaction of American college alumni and undergraduates after several unsuccessful seasons is a universal outcry to fire the coach. This outcry is often an emotional rather than a reasoned reaction, and seldom takes into account the abilities of the coach or the other factors which may have been largely responsible for the defeats. It is similar to the withdrawal of patronage from a steamship line

which has lost a ship at sea, whatever the causes. Whether undergraduates or alumni agree with the decision of the Athletic Council, they will have to admit at least that it deserves credit for a thoughtful decision, unswayed by this natural mob psychology.

"At Brown there are obviously other factors besides the coaching which have caused in large measure the recent unsuccessful seasons. Most of the teams on the schedule, for one reason or another, draw better football material than Brown. Most of our competitors can pick material from a far larger student body than Brown possesses. Out-classed in a majority of games, as Brown was this season, it is an impossible task for any coach to keep the morale of the squad at the highest pitch.

"McLaughry has a recognized position in the football world. He has trained great teams for Brown in the past and he will do it again."

**T**HE 1937 Brown team will face a schedule that calls for games with Connecticut, Rhode Island, Harvard, Dartmouth, Columbia, Tufts, Yale, Holy Cross and Rutgers, opening on Sept. 25 and closing on Nov. 25.

While Brown is losing nine men from the 1936 squad, only two of the members of the top team will be missing when the group is assembled this fall. Vernon Beaubien and Warren Ostergard are the only first team men who will be lost. Graduates in the class of 1937 who will be missing when the team is assembled next fall include Ostergard, Beaubien, Freeman D. and Robert A. Love, Luther Stanhope, Chester Slater, Arthur Saklad, Robert Mangiante and Forrest A. Pease.

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### *Teams Without Captains*

**M**CLAUGHRY's 1937 varsity will take the field without an elected captain. When lettermen met in Faunce House one noon last month, they could not agree on a leader. Several ballots failed to decide between two candidates; neither could get a majority. Adjourned until the following day, the meeting still could not find a majority choice. A majority, however, did vote not to elect a captain.

The action was the first of its kind in 70 years of Brown sport, it was said. The presumption was, according to Prof. Fred W. Marvel, Director of Athletics, "that the head coach, at his discretion may designate a captain for each game."

Taking their cue from the football players, the varsity soccer lettermen similarly abstained from electing a captain.

Said one campus observer, closely in touch with the situation: "It has been no secret that there has been dissatisfaction in the past with some of the leaders that have been elected and the elective method generally, and a renewal of the discussion followed the failure of this season's football team to make the mark expected of it."

The *Brown Daily Herald's* editorial commentary was:

"The captain of football has always been a prominent office on the Brown campus. He is the official head of the gridiron; he represents the team at rallies to receive the encouragement of the student body; his name is used for athletic publicity; and his leadership is an important element in bolstering the morale of the team.

"The present action appears to be a hasty abolition of an institution without supplanting it with anything constructive. It is probable that the elections in both teams ran into political difficulties. In such a case it may have been more advisable to elect co-captains than to destroy the office entirely.

"Under the present set-up the coach is given the responsibility for appointing the leader of a competitive group. This will certainly complicate his efforts at fair discretion. There was nothing radically wrong with the old system and the new merely seems to add to the muddle brought about by so many changes."

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### *A Team Full of Captains*

**W**HEN Ken Kennedy returned to the varsity basketball team after Christmas, it could boast three captains in its starting line-up: Kennedy, basketball captain; Burbank, soccer captain; Clements, baseball captain.

When Bill Burbank went home for Christmas, he hadn't played a losing game since the opening of college. The little Larchmont athlete who wears letters in three sports had captained an undefeated soccer team and as a regular on the basketball five hadn't then bowed. He was a regular on the baseball team that won 12 of 17 games last spring.

Margeson, centre forward on Brown's championship soccer team and high-scoring player in New England, was named on the second All-American at the end of play. He had the misfortune to play the same position as McEwan, Pen State captain and star who was Intercollegiate League high-scorer for three years, and so missed a first berth.

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### *Another Wade Champion*

**W**ALLACE WADE '17 saw his Duke football eleven win the Southern Conference and North Carolina State championships for the second consecutive year, counting nine victories in 10 games at the close of the 1936 season. Captain Clarence (Ace) Parker of the Duke team was a great runner and kicker, and went to the Coast to play in the East-West game at San Francisco on New Year's Day.

"This year rounded out Wade's sixth year at Duke," Joe Nutter '25 wrote in a graphic summary of the Duke season in the *Providence Evening Bulletin*. "His Duke teams have won 45, lost 12, and tied two, and of the 12 defeats nine have been by margins of one touchdown or less. Only four Southern teams have defeated Duke since Wade arrived at Durham in 1931. . . . It all makes considerable of a record for the quiet, soft-spoken Southerner who played on the Brown team in 1915 that went to the Rose Bowl on Jan. 1, 1916."

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### *Restored Williamsburg*

**T**HE *Hartford Courant* in a recent editorial said: "The testimonial given by the American Institute of Architects to Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., (1897) and his three principal associates for the work done by them at Williamsburg, Virginia, is well deserved. 'An enduring national monument' is what the Institute calls the restoration of the beautiful old city to the condition it was in at the height of the colonial period. To the vision, courage, and persistence of Mr. Rockefeller and his associates, the country owes a debt of gratitude."

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### *Oklahoma Advice*

Wendell B. Barnes '32, a correspondent reports, is acting as legal adviser to Governor Marland of Oklahoma, with his office in the State Capitol, Oklahoma City. Since last spring he had been assistant attorney with the Oklahoma Tax Commission.



## The Campus, Chiefly

### Teachers' "Five Year Plan"

THE success of Brown University's "five year plan" of teacher preparation is shown by the increasing number of schools which ask the university to supply teachers, and in the high percentage of students trained in education at Brown who now hold responsible positions, Prof. C. Emanuel Ekstrom, chairman of the Department of Education, reports.

Since this plan of teacher preparation was started, giving students not only knowledge of educational theory but also experience in the art of teaching, the number enrolling for this type of training at Brown has more than doubled. At the same time, Prof. Ekstrom said all students who have satisfactorily completed this training are virtually assured of positions.

The Brown plan differs primarily from methods at other colleges and universities by providing five years of study instead of the usual four, with all practice teaching confined to the fifth year. Fifth year students must hold bachelor's degrees, with preliminary training in education, and be enrolled in the Graduate School at Brown as candidates for master of arts degrees.

Another fundamental feature is that practice teaching, arranged by cooperation of school committees in Providence and nearby communities, constitutes the field work of one of the fifth year courses — "Practical Problems of Teaching." Final grades in this course are determined largely by how well each student conducts his classes. Other courses, in education and in fields which the student will teach, can be chosen from a variety of subjects offered at Brown.

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### "Gracious and Pleasing"

RECOGNIZING the greatness of Professor George Grafton Wilson '86 as teacher and friend, a group of his Radcliffe College students has given a fellowship in international law for this academic year 1936-37, and the first recipient is Miss Eleanor Diamond of the Radcliffe class of 1936, who has majored in government and who held a summer scholarship to Geneva in her Junior year.

The award, Professor Wilson said in a letter to *The Radcliffe Quarterly* "is an especial satisfaction to me as implying that those who had taken the courses had found sufficient value in the work to cause them to desire that others might also pursue similar lines of study. No more gracious and pleasing tribute from my former students could have been made."

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### Finishers' President

Brown Trustee, Albert L. Scott '00 of Lockwood Greene Engineers has again been chosen president of the National Association of Finishers of Textile Fabrics, an office to which he was first named in 1933.

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### Academy's Head

Dr. George H. Sherwood '98, honorary Director of the American Museum of Natural History, has been re-elected president of the New York Academy of Arts and Sciences.

### A John Hay Wing

ADDITIONAL reading room space, seminar rooms and small studies in the John Hay Library of Brown University are the most imperative needs in considering plans for a new library wing, Dr. Henry B. Van Hoesen, university librarian, said in his annual report to Acting President James P. Adams, recently made public.

Plans for enlarging the library call for an addition which would double the present facilities of the building, and extend along Prospect Street to Waterman Street. Constructed in 1910, the present John Hay Library contains approximately 500,000 volumes and special collections unique in their fields.

"The increasing needs of the library and the more hopeful trend of the times have impelled us to make more specific and detailed studies of estimated needs and projected floor plans," Dr. Van Hoesen reported.

"It appears that an extension along Prospect Street to Waterman Street, the full depth of the present building, might be adequate for the next 15 years or so, and that a first unit of this might be made to provide the badly needed additional reading rooms, seminary rooms and studies, and to improve the facilities of administration."

Dr. Van Hoesen pointed out, however, that the construction of only part of the projected unit would not give the library "any increase in shelf capacity corresponding to the rate of growth of both general library and special collections." He said that "with this smaller extension, we should have to move into storage about as many books as we acquire each year."

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### Fraternity Presidents

PRESIDENTS of the Brown fraternities elected recently for the year 1936-37 are: Alpha Delta Phi, Charles Evans Hughes, 3rd, '37; Alpha Tau Omega, Paul F. Clements '37; Beta Theta Pi, Frederick T. Leighty '37; Delta Kappa Epsilon, Munroe E. Hemmerdinger '37; Delta Phi, John Crawford '37; Delta Tau Delta, Herbert A. Harrington '37; Delta Upsilon, Hugh H. Conklin '37; Kappa Sigma, Milton C. Clark '37; Lambda Chi Alpha, Graham W. White '37; Phi Delta Theta, John W. Manchester '37; Phi Gamma Delta, Clifford U. Maguire '37; Phi Kappa Psi, Freeman D. Love '37; Phi Sigma Kappa, Robert W. Clemence '37; Pi Lambda Phi, Norton J. Atlass '37; Psi Upsilon, James J. Brown '37; Sigma Chi, McPherson Brown '37; Sigma Nu, Evan McC. Crossley '37; Theta Delta Chi, Douglas S. Widnall '37; Zeta Psi, Sheldon A. Briggs '37.

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### New England Visitors

IN 1859 there came to College Hill for the first time the representatives of the other New England colleges and universities, meeting to discuss common problems and solutions. This term, for the eighth time, Brown was once more host to presidents and deans, spokesmen for Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, Williams, Vermont, Middlebury, Bowdoin, Amherst, Trinity, Wesleyan, Tufts, and Clark, when the Association of Colleges in New England held its 78th meeting. Brown delegates were Acting President James P. Adams, Dean Samuel T. Arnold, and Dean R. G. D. Richardson.

## Kentucky is Irked

The following article is a commentary on *Brown's choice of President*, published in the *WESTERN RECORDER*, a weekly organ of the General Association of Kentucky Baptists, edited by Victor I. Masters.

### Baptist University on the Liberal Pathway

**B**AD NEWS comes from the historic Brown University in Providence, R. I. Founded in 1764, it is the oldest American institution of higher learning that set out to be controlled by Baptists. The purpose of those who supported it was that it should always be thus controlled.

What has now happened is in principle similar to that which has happened at the University of Chicago and some other Baptist institutions. Also similar to what has been happening in other schools, founded and supported by other Christian constituencies. We reproduce here the story in the *Watchman-Examiner*, of October 29:

Dr. Clarence A. Barbour has resigned the presidency of Brown University because of illness and because in June he would have retired under the age limit. During his presidency Dr. Barbour has maintained the high standard set by his honored predecessors. Public announcement has been made of the election of Dr. Henry Merritt Wriston, now president of Lawrence College, Wisconsin, as the successor of Dr. Barbour. Dr. Wriston holds the degrees of A.M. and Ph.D., from Harvard University and has had wide experience in college work both as teacher and as administrator. From all that we can learn of him, he is a man of beautiful character and extraordinary ability. Now having said so much, we shall not be misunderstood when we say further that we are greatly grieved that the responsible boards of Brown felt it necessary to go outside of our denomination to choose a president for our historic Baptist institution. During its 172 years of existence it has had ten presidents and all of them were Baptists. Is it because no Baptist could be found worthy of the place or was it felt best to break with Baptist tradition once and for all that a Methodist educator was chosen for this presidency?

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**T**HE process of trying to reduce all religious beliefs to an undifferentiated residue has been diligently and broadly propagated in America now for more than a quarter of a century. Among evangelical bodies Baptists have been slowest to be misled by its fair-seeming but erroneous shibboleths. But that Baptists live in no hermetically sealed compartment in relation either to the theological or practical teachings of current liberalism is strikingly thrust before us by Brown University electing a non-Baptist President.

The Brown trustees appear to have been propagandized by the voices of unionism and of the alleged ugliness of believing anything in the spiritual field different from what everyone else believes. The first sub-head of an article published on Brown

University in the *Watchman-Examiner* in 1919, devotes itself to "Freedom From Sectarian Narrowness." If there has been among Baptists any proven case of hurtful sectarian narrowness in a Baptist college or university, we have never heard of it. The sub-head appears to be a sop thrown to the narrow prejudice of worldings against Christian education.

Such worldly-minded persons are in the churches as well as on the outside. Baptists in the South have also had occasion to be humiliated at educational institutions bearing their name that adopted this shoddy method of trying to disarm worldly prejudice. Our objection to this is that it implies a falsehood—namely, that sectarian narrowness must be carefully guarded against in deciding between Christian schools, and that one should run from this spook as from the black plague. *There is little sectarian narrowness to be found anywhere in this country any more and not a thimbleful, we are sure, in Christian colleges. Their danger is all in the opposite direction.*

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**I**T is responsibly reported that a few years ago Brown University changed its charter so as to permit a larger number of non-Baptists on the Board of Trustees. Before that time three-fourths of the Trustees had to be Baptists. But the growing catholicity of trustees and other determinative personalities apparently led them to want more non-Baptists.

Why there should be any other than Baptists on Boards of Trustees of Baptist institutions has always been a mystery to us. Baptist educational executives are wont to explain it to select groups behind closed doors and do not, if it can be avoided, bring it openly before our people in Baptist assemblies. The reasons they offer are always of diplomacy and not of principle. It is either the expedient of a search for money from outside sources or else for more outside patronage. Yet an intelligent Baptist parent would rather have his son or daughter in a Methodist or Presbyterian or other Christian college that goes all of the way with its faith than in a Baptist school that for favor would profit by a tawdry bid to worldly-mindedness.

We are told that Brown University was founded and gained its prestige by the support of New England Baptists. That support included their sons and daughters, to be fashioned by the institution, and the sacrificial gifts of many people of small means to build it, largely gifts of New England farmers who gave butter, eggs, poultry and other produce to build their school. But the trustees are the children of a new day. How should those early Americans know how to grow by bartering their brethren's faith and property? Yet the trustees appear to see nothing unethical in turning Brown University over to others than Baptists, and in filling the Presidency, and presumably the teaching personnel, with non-Baptists.

This is not, *per se*, theological Liberalism or Modernism. But it is regularly the fruit of such Liberalism. If we turn away from the inspired authority of the Bible, and from the Diety and Saviourship of our Lord, why hesitate to turn away from all the rest we

hold as a Christian denomination? The spiritual values that have separated men who have come to know God through Jesus Christ, get their authority over our lives out of their relation in teaching and experience to the great central truths of Christ and redemption. If that is scrapped by the conceit and self-sufficiency of men, one may reason, why not scrap the rest?

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**Y**ET the trustees of a Baptist educational institution would not have the right to wrest it from Baptists, even if Baptists have believed nothing in religion but cunningly devised fables. Imagine one of these self-assured Liberals proposing to the Masonic order that it shall place a Knight of Columbus as the head of one of its institutions. Or imagine him telling the Masons that their determination to manage their own institutions is intolerable, and that they should turn the management of their instrumentalities over to the Knights of Pythias, the Odd Fellows and the Elks.

The absurdity of the proposal is obvious, and the absurdity and folly of the hue and cry against Christian bodies owning and directing their own institutions in their own way—institutions they builded and sustain—is equally obvious to all who think straight. The fact that it is not obvious to great sections of public opinion now in America—both the vast jazz crowd at the bottom and a self-selected hegemony of the wise at the other extreme—is proof positive of the vast present American ignorance where religious rights and convictions are concerned, and of a prejudiced attitude that would willingly destroy them and would throw on the scrap heap that freedom of conscience which gave them birth in America and nurtured them into maturity.

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### Preserved Smith, Brunonian

**T**HE Brown University Library has just received a reprint of an article entitled "Chronicles of a New England Family" by Preserved Smith. This article contains material relating to Preserved Smith (1759-1834) Class of 1786, and Preserved Smith (1789-1881) Class of 1812. An exceptionally interesting portion of the article is the extract entitled "Reminiscences of Preserved Smith of Warwick." The following paragraphs may be quoted:

"In the following summer of 1808 Mr. Nicholas Brown of Providence, the classmate and friend of my father, visited us at Windsor, and he suggested to my father that he had better send me to college and such were his earnest pleadings in the case, that it was finally concluded that such was to be my destination. This is an illustration of the direction often given to the course of life from some slight incident. That visit of Mr. Brown became the turning point to my subsequent purpose and plan of life. If it had not been for that visit, I should not have received a college education. I am now grateful to that kind Providence that led him to make that visit at that seasonable time, which was made instrumental in marking out a course for me that has proved to me a great blessing. Some other course might have secured to me more wealth, but not so great intellectual enjoyment.



"In March, 1809, I entered College (Brown University) six months in advance, and my College life in Providence introduced me as it were into a new world. I saw much that was elegant and refined. Mr. Brown, who lived in great affluence, often invited me to his home where I sometimes met people of superior worth, which could not fail of having an influence on my character and manners. I trust that I was benefited by these advantages. It gave me some knowledge of high life, and yet I did not permit it to fill me with discontent with my more humble lot. Mr. Brown continued to show me kindness during many years after I left College; and I have now in my possession many letters of friendship that I received from him when any event of importance occurred in his family.

"A College is a world in miniature. It is to be expected that students coming from different parts of the country and having their early nurture under different influences must exhibit a variety of character—some pure and noble-minded, and others mean and niggardly; some of fine talents and others of ordinary capacity; some studious and circumspect in deportment, and others indolent and careless in their habits. My College life on the whole was pleasant, yet not without some things to annoy. At the close of (the) Freshman year I had a severe sickness, which gave my constitution a shock from which I never entirely recovered. I never have had the muscular vigor since that I had before that sickness, and I was obliged to leave the spring term (of my) Senior year on account of my health. And I was obliged to be absent some weeks each winter term in keeping school in order to assist in meeting my expenses. These were all drawbacks on my collegiate advantages so that my examination was not as thorough as it would have been had I enjoyed and filled up the full measure of every term in diligent study."

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#### Philosophers All

BEGINNING its fifth year of successful effort to "foster Rhode Island's characteristic interest in philosophy and to present to the community those philosophical ideas which are relevant to a proper understanding and evaluation of the life of today," the Rhode Island Philosophical Society presented Professor Emeritus Edmund B. Delabarre as its first lecturer in Metcalf Auditorium at the University, November 18. Dr. Delabarre's subject was "The Nature and Tests of Truth."

Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, '93, chairman of the Experimental College at the University of Wisconsin, will be the Society's guest lecturer next April. Professor H. A. Larabee of Union College, Dr. Clemens J. France of Providence, Professor Herbert Jasper of the Department of Psychology, and Professor Charles A. Baylis of the Department of Philosophy were other announced speakers.

Professor Emeritus Walter Goodnow Everett, '85, is president for 1936-37. Other officers are: Vice President, Professor C. J. Ducasse; Secretary, Professor Charles A. Baylis; Treasurer, Otto J. Nass; member of the executive committee, Dr. Clemens J. France.

## Strings on Gold

BY J. EARL CLAUSON

in his column "These Plantations" in the Providence Evening Bulletin

AT any moment the urge may seize you, as it has a good many people, to give or bequeath an important sum of money to Brown University to help some worthy undergraduate get an education. In view of the possibility these words are penned (typewritten actually, but the other is the customary expression) to warn that the school management is going to feel twice as much obliged if you don't pin too many conditions on your generosity.

Brown, although not ranking among the richest colleges of the country, has been as fortunate as any in inspiring loyal affection which expresses itself in beneficences. The great bulk of these have been sums left for scholarships, the proceeds to defray expenses of deserving students, and a larger number of these sums have been of \$1000 each with a string attached.

To give you an idea, there is the Joseph Brown Scholarship, founded in 1861 by Mrs. Eliza B. Rogers, a granddaughter of Joseph Brown, the right to name the beneficiary annually being vested in the Brown Street Baptist Church. The Brown Street Baptists later merged with the Union Baptist Church; that in turn went out of existence as a separate entity, and the college management was left with a parentless \$1000 and a headache.

THAT scholarship went eventually, the donors having been mollified, into a general scholarship fund the proceeds of which are distributed at the discretion of the authorities. Most of these gifts were conditioned originally.

The James H. Duncan Scholarship, founded in 1860, for example, designated as preferred beneficiary a member of the First Baptist Church of Haverhill, Mass. The S. S. Bradford Scholarships liked candidates for the Baptist ministry and the college president and the pastor of the First Baptist Church were to do the picking. The First Baptist was to nominate for the Pardon Miller Scholarship. Choice for the Crocker Scholarships was vested in the rector of St. John's.

One of the more curious was the Newport Scholarship, founded by William Sanford Rogers, who charged the city government of Newport with the choice of a beneficiary. Should it fail to elect, the university faculty was to designate a student from Newport.

Great possibilities reside in such conditions as the last. Choice of a scholarship beneficiary of the Newport bequest never became a campaign issue, but elections have hinged on lesser points.

AS you might have expected, a great many Brown scholarships are for the use of young men preparing for the Baptist Ministry. These gifts come not only from alumni who have prospered and retained their church affiliation, but from members of the denomination, women and men alike, whose sole conception of the college was that it was the outstanding Baptist institution of higher education.

Such scholarships served a more useful end 75 years ago than today, when the

ministry's appeal as a life work is narrowed. It is likely that there are today more such funds than there are candidates available in the undergraduate body to enjoy them, but the hampering conditions still cling to a good many of them, removable only by consent of all the donor's heirs or by appeal to the courts. In the case of a \$1000 scholarship fund appeal isn't worth what it would cost.

What happens when a candidate is not found who measures up to requirements is that the proceeds of the fund accumulate at interest. Some in the course of time will be large enough to warrant asking for a court interpretation of the trust. In the meantime it is held inviolate.

The tendency of givers in recent years has been to link character, scholarship, athletic ability and qualities of leadership. The last qualification is a puzzler for the committee which has to make the selection.

Knowing as they do that leadership in college indicates little as to what may happen once a graduate has passed out of the college gates, they are compelled to adjudicate on the facts at hand. Scholarship usually gets the award, although a high ranking student is not often a football cheer leader.

The scholarship which is to go to a deserving young man of the "highest moral character" also gives pause for thought. Moral standards of one age differ widely from those of another; a student of the '60's who kicked a football around the back campus on Sunday while smoking a cigarette would have been a prime candidate for perdition by the standards of that day; now he might properly rank as of high moral character in spite of all.

TWICE at least the corporation has refused to accept scholarship gifts conditioned on the beneficiary's abstention from tobacco or liquor. But that was in late years. Forty years ago it was part of the understanding, if not of spoken promise, that a student who got scholarship aid should neither drink nor smoke. One scholarship at Brown, the William Bucknell, now merged in the general fund, specifically excludes anyone who looks on wine or uses the filthy weed.

Occasionally the university has turned down bequests on other grounds. One was a pew at the First Baptist Meeting House, left by a dear old lady full of denominational enthusiasm. It was refused on the grounds that it would be of no immediate use to Brown, would entail annual payment of a tax, and couldn't be sold for lack of a market.

The college does own, however, a lot at Swan Point Cemetery. It is the one in which was buried Rev. Dr. Romeo Elton, a noted clergyman, class of 1813.

It was given to the college by a descendant of Dr. Elton. Being endowed with a perpetual care fund, the college concluded it would cost nothing and might come in handy some day. Thus far Dr. Elton lies

there alone, awaiting the companionship of some other loyal Brown man.

So when a spasm of generosity overcomes you and you want to give or leave some big money to Brown, please omit strings. It's hard enough work running a college anyway without being hampered by a lot of dead hands.

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## For Brown Readers

### *One of Wheeler's Men*

PROFESSOR T. Harper Goodspeed '09 is the author of "William Albert Setchell: A Biographical Sketch," which has been reprinted from "Essays in Geobotany in Honor of William Albert Setchell," a publication of the University of California Press. Dr. Setchell, native of Norwich, Conn., and graduate of Yale, became Professor of Botany and chairman of the department at California in 1895, and retired as Professor Emeritus in 1934.

"He was a pattern of those younger men," Dr. Goodspeed writes, "whom Benjamin Ide Wheeler (Brown '75) brought to Berkeley to assist him in the building of the greater university—an institution which will never cease to reflect the foresight and wisdom of one who was perhaps the greatest of the older school of American University presidents."

One of Dr. Setchell's younger assistants in the early years was Dr. W. J. V. Osterhout '93, former Professor of Botany at Harvard and now with the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research. Dr. Goodspeed, also an assistant and then an associate, has succeeded him at California. Another fact of interest is that the late Mrs. Setchell, co-scientist with her husband, was Mrs. Clara B. Caldwell of Providence.

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### *What Christ Would Do*

WHAT would Jesus Do in the Present Crisis?" That was the question that Dr. Charles M. Sheldon, '83, asked 40 years ago in his famous best-seller "In His Steps." *Liberty* asked him to apply the same question to 1936, with interesting results, seen in a recent issue.

Jesus, he says, would call a national conference of all denominations, as his first public act, in an effort to unite the Christian church. He would inspire youth, confront munitions makers, teach brotherhood. Despite the alteration of the world and living, the distinguished Kansas clergyman says that people have not changed.

Dr. Sheldon was the author of "Poverty Doesn't Frighten Me," which appeared in the November issue of *The Rotarian*. He made it clear that there is "a wide disparity between desires and needs of men" and that "the human race everlastingly needs to be reminded that the lack of things is not in itself a curse."

One of the honors lately come to the author of the famous "In His Steps" is the choice of his name, with a record of his achievements, to be graven into the Walk of Fame being built at Rollins College, Winter Park, Fla. A stone taken from Central Church, Topeka, Kansas, which he founded, will bear the inscription and also "shoulder the stones of the world's most renowned benefactors."

## Psychology on the Hill

THE appointment of Prof. Walter S. Hunter as chairman of the Department of Psychology at Brown University, and other major changes in the department's personnel, have brought about the introduction of new courses in psychology, new methods of instruction, and the expansion of plans for psychological research this year.

Departmental changes have also given Brown the editorial headquarters of "Psychological Abstracts," edited by Prof. Hunter and Dr. Raymond R. Willoughby, new research associate. This monthly publication, owned by the American Psychological Association, reviews the world's literature in psychology and related fields.

Prof. Hunter says the general policy of the department, which has been virtually reorganized, will be "to offer comprehensive training in the field of psychology, with particular stress on courses dealing with behavior and the sensory processes." In advanced courses, the department will "emphasize training in technical proficiency for carrying out special aspects of psychological research."

The method of teaching Brown's introductory course, "General Psychology," has been changed this year by launching a "survey plan" for the first semester, under which the general field of psychology is being presented in lecture and discussion hours. During the second semester, the course will be confined to normal human adult psychology. Throughout the year the course will correspond in approach to one of Prof. Hunter's textbooks, "Human Behavior."

By touching upon such topics as the history of man's development, animal behavior and social and racial psychology during the first semester, and then covering human psychology generally in the second semester, the elementary course is now designed to offer a foundation in psychology for students who will take advanced courses, and to give a general knowledge of the field to undergraduates who will not continue in the department.

AMONG the changes in opportunity for a graduate study are the introduction of two new courses, "Quantitative Methods" and "Receptive Processes," both under Prof. Clarence H. Graham and Dr. Edward H. Kemp, who are at Brown for the first time this year. The first deals with mathematical methods used in quantitative research, and the second presents a critical analysis of the fields of vision and hearing.

Next year the department is planning to offer three new courses—on perception, on emotion, and on research techniques—fields in which Brown's psychologists are especially qualified. Prof. Graham, Dr. Kemp, and Dr. J. McKiver Hunt, also new on the staff, formerly held National Research Council fellowships for study in these and related fields, and Dr. Herbert Jasper studied at the Sorbonne under a fellowship from the Rockefeller Foundation. Prof. Hunter's work has been recognized by his election as a Fellow of the National Academy of Sciences and as a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

New psychological research at Brown

is now well under way, much of it made possible by new electrical equipment for amplifying and recording nervous impulses. In general the projects will focus upon behavior, the sensory processes and the nervous system. They will include studies dealing with conditioned reflexes, vision and hearing, experimental neuroses of animals, and the electric brain waves known as Berger rhythms.

THE new chairman is recognized as one of the leading authorities in the East on the learning process and animal behavior. Prominently identified with the major scientific societies of the country, Prof. Hunter is a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and recently was signally honored by election to the National Academy of Sciences. He is a member of the International Congress of Psychology, was executive secretary of the Ninth Congress, and has served as a member of the International Committee since 1929.

Prof. Hunter is a graduate of the University of Texas and holds a Ph.D. degree from the University of Chicago. He has taught at Texas, the University of Kansas, and at summer sessions at Tulane, the University of Chicago, the University of California, Northwestern, Harvard and the University of Minnesota. He served in the United States Army during the World War, his work relating to the army's psychological testing service.

In 1931, Prof. Hunter was president of the American Psychological Association and in 1932 was vice-president and chairman of Section I of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. He was a member of the Division of Anthropology and Psychology of the National Research Council from 1926 until 1929, and from 1933 to 1936.

As an author, Prof. Hunter has written numerous articles for various scientific journals on studies in animal behavior, space perception, and social and theoretical psychology.

The appointment of Dr. Willoughby as research associate in psychology has brought the editorial headquarters of two leading psychological publications to Brown. Prof. Hunter is editor of "Psychological Abstracts" and the "Psychological Index," while Dr. Willoughby is assistant editor of both. Among Prof. Hunter's best known books are "General Psychology" and "Human Behavior."

PROF. GRAHAM is an outstanding member of the younger school of experimental psychologists which has brought a combination of physical and mathematical knowledge to bear upon problems of psychology. An assistant professor at Clark since 1932, Prof. Graham is a graduate of Clark in 1927, receiving his A.M. and Ph.D. degrees in psychology there. He has held honorary and National Research Council fellowships and has studied at the University of Pennsylvania and the Johnson Foundation for Medical Physics at the University of Pennsylvania.

Active in his associations with various learned societies, Prof. Graham is a mem-



ber of the American Psychological Association, the American Physiological Society, the Optical Society of America, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and was recently elected to the Society of Experimental Psychologists, of which he is one of the youngest members. Prof. Graham's researches and writings have been largely on problems in the physiological psychology of the senses. He has made fundamental contributions to fact and theory in the psycho-physiology of vision.

The two instructors in psychology added this year, Dr. Kemp of the Harvard Medical School and Dr. Hunt of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D. C., both have won major fellowships for study in special psychological fields at important medical and educational centers. Dr. Kemp is a graduate of Wake Forest College, holds a Ph.D. degree from Clark, and won the Porter Fellowship from the American Physiological Society in 1934-35. Dr. Hunt holds A.B. and A.M. degrees from the University of Nebraska and a Ph.D. from Cornell. During the past two years he has held a National Research Fellowship and

a Research Fellowship from the Carnegie Foundation for psychiatric studies.

Dr. Willoughby of Clark and Dr. Philip Solomon of Harvard Medical School are the new research associates in psychology at Brown this year. They have been active with significant writings and researches in their fields.

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### French, Inductively

LOUIS A. ROUX '94, head of the Department of French, Newark Academy, is the author of a modern two-book course in French published by the Macmillan Co., New York City. "The Roux French series," says a review, "offers a full, simple treatment of French pronunciation and inductive treatment of the French language. It includes an innovation in the study of idioms." Professor Roux has also written "Lessons in Grammar and Composition," "Elementary French Reader," and "A First French Course." He is an *Officier d'Académie*, an honor given him by the French Government in recognition of his work in the French language in the United States.

## The Associated Alumni

### Washington

**E.** R. CLEAVELAND '14 was unanimously elected president of the Brown Club of Washington to succeed Harold B. Master '27 at the annual meeting and dinner held at the Cosmos Club, Wednesday evening, Dec. 16. Other officers presented by the nominating committee, Dr. Waldo G. Leland '00, John B. Rae '32, and James L. Whitcomb '36, are:

Vice President—John A. French '25; Treasurer—Frederick B. Wiener '27; Secretary—John D. Glover '36; Board of Governors (1940) Norman S. Case '08, J. N. Shotton '28; (1938) Harry L. Watson '01, H. B. Master '27.

Dr. Arthur Deerin Call '96, Secretary of the American Peace Society, spoke on "Peace or War in Europe?" and a correspondent wrote: "Call did a splendid job on the peace or war question. You know him, as I do, to be a red-blooded man of peace. And you know, too, the sort of talk he gives. . . . Thanks to Dr. Call and the fine spirit prevailing, our meeting was a good one. We did hope for a larger attendance."

At the meeting were most of the alumni mentioned above and Stephen Waterman '86, Francis M. Anderson '07, A. C. Eastburn '12, Dr. Edwin Grant Dexter '91, James V. Bennett '18, Dean John R. Lapham '09, A. E. Gottshall '15, Dr. George W. Field '87, George S. Newcombe '03, W. G. Stuart Sherman '28, Davis P. Low '33, William R. Pitts '30, William R. Boger '26, Dr. Edmund C. Burnett '90, Paul C. Howard '35.

### New York

**T**HE 69th annual dinner of the Brown Alumni of New York City and neighborhood will be held Monday, Feb. 15, at the

Roosevelt. The reception will start at 6:30, and dinner will be at 7 o'clock.

Thomas B. Appleget '17, vice president of the Rockefeller Foundation, will be toastmaster, and the speakers will be President Henry M. Wriston, who will make the principal address; Vice President James P. Adams, acting President of the University since October; Dr. Waldo G. Leland '00, member of the Board of Fellows; and Sir Gerald Campbell, British Consul General in New York.

### Lunch on Tuesday

**N**EW YORK Brown men, especially those whose work is in lower Manhattan, are cordially invited to eat lunch Tuesday noons between 12 and 2 in one of the small private dining rooms of the Seamen's Church Institute at 25 South Street. The Institute is between Wall Street and South Ferry on the East River.

The Brunonians call themselves the Downtown Brown Men's Lunch Group, and the regulars include Fernald '01, Dolan '01, Holmes '02, White '03, Cooke '05, Hennessy '10, Purdie '11, Larkin '11, Parker '12, Bronson '12, White '13, Ward '14, Farnham '14, Falk '15, Kuester '26, Rohlf's '26, and Dow '27. Jerry Holmes is the acting host, as he was for many years for the old Hotel Wentworth group. He introduces new men and guides the conversation along Brown channels.

The committee on arrangements is Arthur W. Packard '25, chairman, Allen B. Sikes '23, George L. Cassidy '26, Paul D. O'Brien '27 and Donald V. Reed '35. J. A. O'Neil, Executive Secretary of the Brown University Club in New York, will receive reservations at the clubhouse, 39 East 39th Street.

The Club gave a dinner on Jan. 7 for fathers of undergraduates from the metropolitan area. Dean Samuel T. Arnold '13, the speaker, was introduced by Wilbur E. Saunders '16, headmaster of the Peddie School. This dinner has become so successful that it is now an annual fixture of the Club program.

Recently elected members of the Club are William H. Higgins '18 and Horace C. Jeffers '18.

### Merrimack Valley

**P**ROFESSOR CHARLES A. ROBINSON, JR., of the Department of Greek and Latin Classics and Theodore R. Jeffers '23, secretary of the Brown University Council, were guests of the Merrimack Valley Brown Club at the annual fall dinner and meeting at the Andover Country Club, Andover, Mass., Dec. 5.

Joseph N. Ashton '91, president of the Club, led the brief business session at which it was voted to send greetings to President Barbour and former Vice President A. D. Mead, who has been guest of the Club on several occasions. Later in the evening a happy response was received from Dr. Mead. The Alumni Secretary noted his regret at being absent because of a previous engagement with the Board of Directors of the American Alumni Council in New York City.

Mr. Jeffers told the story of the campus, and Professor Robinson gave an illustrated lecture on "Greek Aristocracy and Its Sculpture," which his audience followed with great interest. In his introduction Professor Robinson expressed pleasure at returning to Andover and renewing old acquaintances at Phillips Andover, where he prepared for college.

Guests included representatives of Harvard, Dartmouth and other colleges—a pleasant feature of this winter meeting of the Merrimack Valley Club. Among the alumni were Nowell R. Kinney '19 and Rev. Byron O. Waterman '32, Lawrence; Herbert L. Hambleton '21 and Thomas R. Hadfield '24, Methuen; Everett G. Perkins '16, Newburyport; Rufus E. Corlew '25 and Alfred L. Goddard '24, Lowell; James S. Eastham '19, Archibald Freeman '89, Frederick M. Boyce '09 and George A. Mellen '98, Andover.

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### With the Faculty

**P**ROFESSOR ARTHUR B. HITCHCOCK of the Department of Music was pianist at the concert for young people given early in December by the Providence Symphony Orchestra.

Professor Benjamin C. Clough, chairman of the Department of Greek and Latin Classics, wrote the version of "The Frogs," by Aristophanes, given so successfully by Sock and Buskin in Faunce House Little Theatre three nights in December.

Professor Joachim Wach of the Department of Biblical Literature spoke on "Christmas in Old Germany" at the Christ-

mas vespers of the Brown Christian Association in Faunce House.

Professor W. H. Kenerson and Paul N. Kistler of the Division of Engineering led a delegation of undergraduates, Edward K. Bancroft '37, Herbert A. Harrington '37 and F. M. Gilbreth '38, to the annual meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers in New York City the first week in December.

Lester L. Lapham, Bursar of the University,

attended the meetings of the Association of University and College Business Officers of the Eastern States held in New York City last month. He was named to the society's executive committee.

Professor Matthew C. Mitchell of the Department of Political Science recently lectured before the New Guard of Providence, a non-partisan group engaged in the study of Providence municipal government, on "Model City Charters."

William A. McAuslan has retired after a long term of active and faithful work as secretary of Beta Chapter of Delta Phi Corporation, Providence.

**1898**

Frederick W. Arnold, his broken right leg reset at Jane Brown Hospital, Providence, will soon be able to leave the hospital where he has been since his arrival from Montana early in the fall.

Judge Henry D. C. DuBois was recently appointed a member of the Committee of 33, governing body of the National Sojourners, the Masonic unit made up of past and present officers of the military and naval forces of the United States. The Sojourners will hold their national meeting in Newport next June.

**1899**

Ewing Hill has leased his apartment at 720 Park Avenue and is living at the Metropolitan Club, New York City, in the winter, and at Rye Beach, N. H. in summer.

**1900**

Charles G. Richardson of the Builders Iron Foundry, Providence, has received a patent on a "Telemetric Proportioning Controller" for automatically adding continuously any desired proportion of chemical (or other substance) to a flowing liquid.

**1904**

Frederick W. O'Connell is the new president of the Rhode Island Bar Association, succeeding Chauncey E. Wheeler '09.

The late Colonel Alfred F. Masury is the subject of a graceful tribute from Negley Farson in Farson's book, "The Way of a Transgressor." Farson refers to "Red Mike" on page 399 as typifying all that was "big" in American business. He was manager of the Chicago branch of Mack Trucks, Inc., of which Masury, who died when the U. S. dirigible Akron crashed off the New Jersey coast in April, 1933, was vice president.

John P. Herring reports his present address to be RFD No. 1, Westwood, N. J.

**1905**

Oliver S. Jennings, electrical engineer with the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, is living at 7125 Thomas Boulevard, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Miss Lydia Broomhead, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Fred C. Broomhead, and Edward M. Prindle, Jr., of Portland, Me., were married at the Broomhead home in West Barrington, Nov. 27, 1936. Senator Broomhead was too ill at the time to attend the wedding, but it is pleasant to report that he is back on duty once more.

Sang-Kyu Pack, in a recent note with regard to the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY

## Brunonians Far and Near

BY A. H. GURNEY

**1879**

**D**R. WALTER L. MUNRO, Class Secretary, sailed January 7 on the *Franconia* for a five months' trip around the world. He is heading southward at this time, and will cross the equator four times during the voyage.

Dr. Arthur H. Harrington and Dr. Stephen A. Welch will represent the Class at the installation of President Wriston on February 3.

**1883**

Dr. Frank L. Shepardson, Professor Emeritus of Greek at Colgate University, was the author of "Lest We Forget," the story of Colgate Academy, in the November issue of the *Colgate Alumni News*. "'Sheppie,' everyone's friend," said the introduction, "has been a member of the Colgate faculty since 1896, was Principal of Colgate Academy for sixteen years and Treasurer of Colgate University twenty years. Having taught Greek for twenty-one years, he is now Professor Emeritus of Greek."

**1885**

Frank Hail Brown's wife, Alice Francis Brown, died in Providence Dec. 2, 1936, after a short illness of pneumonia. For many years she was active in club work in Providence, and one of her major interests was the Sunday school near her house at Spring Green down the bay. To our classmate and his sons, John Francis and Francis Hail Brown, the sympathy of the Class is given.

**1887**

Dr. George W. Field has recently changed his house address to 220 Chestnut Avenue, Takoma Park, Md.

**1888**

Dean William Allen Wilbur, Professor Emeritus of English, George Washington University, is living at 2007 O Street, Apt. 31, Washington, D. C.

**1890**

Rev. James McLaughlin, in a recent letter, said that he found great pleasure in reading the November issue of the *BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY*—"a splendid issue in every respect"—and that he was glad to learn for the first time that Dr. Wriston was coming to Brown as President. He sent his good wishes to all members of the Class and asked to be especially remembered to Dr. Harry L. Grant. McLaughlin's address is 407 West 4th Street, Long Beach, Calif. S. G. Goldthwaite, editor and publisher of the *Boone, Ia., News-Republican*, was

### That Royal Drama

**S**AID F. P. A. in his column, The Conning Tower, in the *New York Herald Tribune* of Dec. 8. "'A hundred years from now poets and playwrights will still be versifying and dramatizing the romance of Edward and Wallis, happy ending or not,' ran an editorial in yesterday's *New York Post*. Sixteen years ago a playwright dramatized something pretty close to that affair. His name is A. E. Thomas (Brown 1894), and the play was 'Just Suppose.'"

elected Eminent Commander of Excalibur Commandery, No. 13, Knights Templar, of Boone at the stated meeting in December.

Dr. Harry L. Grant, laid up at Jane Brown Hospital for several months with a broken hip, left the hospital just before Christmas to return to his home at 297 Wayland Avenue, Providence. He continues to improve, and all his friends hope to see him soon fully recovered.

**1891**

George J. Holden, treasurer and general manager of the Smith-Holden Dental Supply Company, Providence, was re-elected secretary and treasurer of the Dealers Section of the American Dental Trade Association at the annual meeting held in Chicago, Nov. 18-20. He has held this office for nearly 20 years. While he was in Chicago he had the pleasure of reunion with his classmates Abram Mendenhall of Milwaukee and Chester A. Cook of Chicago.

Chester A. Cook, representative of the Class at the dinner given to President-elect Wriston in Chicago, Dec. 8, told your correspondent that the meeting was the best Brown gathering he had been to in Chicago in some years.

**1893**

Gilbert C. Carpenter's new house address is 198 Waterman Avenue, East Providence.

**1896**

Dr. Arthur Deerin Call, secretary of the American Peace Society, spoke on "Peace or War in Europe?" at the annual meeting of the Brown Club of Washington, D. C., last month.

### Judicial Notice

**J**UDGE KENNETH D. JOHNSON '19 said an Associated Press dispatch on Dec. 23 from Quincy, Mass., "took one look today at Joseph O'Neil's trousers and upheld his claim that a Quincy cleaner had sent them back too shrunken to be of service. One more laundering and you could wear them for B. V. D.'s" said Judge Johnson. "Judgment for the plaintiff in the sum of \$9."



and his difficulty getting the MONTHLY regularly, confirms his address as 97 Zui-Rin Cho, Seoul, Korea, where he is in business.

**1907**

There has been excellent response to the first letter sent out by the 30th Reunion Committee. V. A. Schwartz, chairman, reports. Replies (to December 3) came from E. V. Ross, Auty, A. G. Bruce, Bright, Grover, Way, Lane, H. L. Brown, Crummett, McPhee, Hallborg, G. A. Buckley, Sweet, McEvoy, G. W. Davis, Campbell, Pearsall, H. D. Bruce W. K. White, Carder, Bushell, L. F. Payne, and Allen. The Committee heard some of the letters read and discussed ways and means of getting everybody back in June. A sub-committee on equalization was named, with Hurley, chairman, Curtis, Snow, W. P. Burnham, and Branch. Little and Curtis were asked to consider costumes, and Branch said that he would arrange for the golfers to play at the Point Judith Country Club. After the January meeting the Class will receive a tentative program of reunion, which will be from June 18 to 21, inclusive.

Edwin V. Ross, agent for the Equitable Fire and Marine Insurance Company, 63 Broadway, Norwich, has recently changed his house address to 2 Arlington Heights, Norwichtown, Conn.

Arthur G. Bruce, district engineer with the United States Bureau of Public Roads, has asked us to note his new house address, 65 Academy Road, Albany, N. Y.

John L. Curran, lawyer with Dooley, Jackvony, Curran & Dunn in the Turks Head Building, Providence, is giving much of his spare time to his new work as president of the Rhode Island Wild Life Federation, a unit of the national society of the same name. He is getting together the strongest possible committees to promote the work of interesting all citizens in conservation of the State's vanishing wild life.

**1908**

Henry P. Stacy and Mrs. Stacy of Detroit, Mich., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ethel P. Stacy, graduate of Vassar College in 1936, to Lieut. Clement W. Crockett, U. S. A., who graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point in June, 1936. The marriage took place Aug. 17. Lieutenant and Mrs. Crockett will sail Feb. 2 on the transport U. S. Grant for the Philippines, where Lieut. Crockett will be stationed for the next two years.

Stacy, pere, is the new vice president of the Brown Club of Detroit. He continues to practice law at 314 Michigan Central Depot.

Christopher A. Greene, in a recent letter from the old farm, Redland Orchards, Ivy Depot, Va., confirmed the report of his marriage, which took place Nov. 5, 1935, to Ruth Hopkinson of Charlottesville, Va. There's a new daughter in the family, as we report elsewhere, and Chris says that the latch string is always out for any of his Brown friends.

Dr. Harlan True Stetson, astronomer, is now at Massachusetts Institute of Technology as a research associate. He will engage in extensive studies of cosmic relationships, according to the M. I. T. publicity man, carrying on "an important program of cosmic territorial research" and investigating "the possible effects of the changes in radiations from the sun".

**The Editor's Stories**

**A**LDEN H. NORTON '25, is editor of *Dime Sports*, monthly magazine published by Popular Publications, Inc., at 205 East 42nd Street, New York City. In the February issue, now on the newsstands, he has two pieces about Brown men in his column. One tells graphically how Al Cornsweet '29 refused to be driven outside by the Yale line in the Brown-Yale game in 1926, and the other is about Irving (Bump) Hadley '28, who sacrificed a chance to become a college football star because he felt that his game was baseball.

In a recent letter Norton said that by every standard of reasoning "Brown should be in the Ivy League," a statement with which most Brown men will agree.

Judge Edward L. Leahy, chief of the Rhode Island Division of State Taxation, has accepted invitation to give a course of lectures on taxation during the second semester at Boston University School of Law.

**1910**

Russel C. Smith, vice president and general manager of the Cranston Print Works Company, has been re-elected a director of the Providence Chamber of Commerce.

John P. Farnsworth's twin sons, Robert and Donald Farnsworth, are students at the Rectory School, Pomfret, Conn.

Professor Albert A. Bennett has the sympathy of the Class in the loss of his mother, missionary with her husband, Rev. Albert A. Bennett, D.D. '72, in Japan for many years. Mrs. Bennett died Dec. 6 in Ridge-wood, N. J. Another son is Dr. Charles B. Bennett '06; and there are two daughters, Mrs. Frederick W. French and Dr. M. Elsie Bennett, both of 1912, Pembroke College.

**1912**

Dr. Wilbur S. Deming of the First Congregational Church, Washington, Conn., was a recent speaker in the Hartford, Conn., Lecture Series given under the auspices of the American Association for Adult Education. His subject was "Ghandi and the Indian Empire," one with which he made himself familiar at first hand during his years as mission teacher in India.

Theodore B. Farnsworth and his family have changed their house address to 494 St. Clair, Grosse Pointe, Mich.

George W. Brewster has been elected president of the Eastern division of Delta Tau Delta for the next two years. He is adviser to the Beta Chi Chapter of the fraternity at Brown.

Carleton H. Parker's daughter, Elizabeth F. Parker, is an undergraduate at Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg, Va.

Harry M. Jones, practising law at 1315 Park Building, Pittsburgh, Pa., hopes to be back for the 25th Reunion in June. "I have always wanted to get back to the University some time during the working day there," he wrote a short time ago. "Commencements, of course, are fine, but everything is then on parade." Jones is president of the Brown Club of Pittsburgh.

Royal W. Leith, president of the Associated Alumni, is a member of the committee arranging for the installation of President-elect Henry M. Wriston on February 3.

**1914**

Ernest R. Cleaveland, still going strong as an insurance man in Washington, has been elected president of the Brown Club of Washington for 1937.

Dr. Robert M. Lord has been acting as advisory co-chairman of the group of physicians conducting physical examinations for the current season at the Providence Boys Club.

Lewis B. Pusey, whose address has been lacking at the Alumni Office, is reported to be living at 120 Delray Avenue, Bethesda, Md.

**1915**

Harold M. (Cap.) Taylor's history of the Taylor family, descended from Anthony Taylor of Hampton, N. H., has been presented to Baker Memorial Library at Dartmouth by Edward Tuck '62, Dartmouth's oldest graduate. The *Dartmouth Alumni Magazine* for November named the Dartmouth men in the book who get extended mention, and said that "the work is the result of ten years' continuous effort by Harold Murdock Taylor of Cranston, R. I., disabled World War veteran and Brown University graduate." The book has received many other favorable reviews.

Schuyler V. Hayward's current address, we are told, is 3539 Agnes Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

John Alexander, member of the Class in Freshman year and affiliate of Phi Gamma Delta, is manager of the Springfield, Mass., sales office of International Business Machines Corporation at 340 Worthington Street. He's still a bachelor, he admits, and prefers to get his mail at 40 Elmwood Avenue, Longmeadow, Mass.

**1916**

Clifford D. Heathcote has been elected to the corporation of St. Andrew's School for Boys, Barrington.

Frank A. Farnham, 2nd, back from the fastnesses of Brown County, Ind., where he has been living for some time, is statistician in the Chicago office of the Columbia Broadcasting System.

**1917**

Hugh W. MacNair is a member of the Great Neck, N. Y., Board of Education to fill out the term, expiring next May, of the former president of the Board. MacNair has two children in the Great Neck public schools.

**1918**

Carroll B. Larrabee, manager editor of *Printers' Ink Publications*, is a member of the jury of award for the sixth annual Irwin D. Wolf Awards Competition for Distinctive Merit in Packaging. Presentations will be made at the 1937 packaging exposition next March.

Alfred J. Sullivan has left Washington, we hear, and is living at 1008 Gimbel Road, Philadelphia, Pa.

Gurney Edwards has been elected a member of the executive board of the Consumers' Club of Rhode Island.

**1919**

Willis B. Downey is the new general counsel of the Boston Elevated Railway. Promotion came to him last month in recognition of the able work he has done as assistant general counsel since 1929. The Board of Public Trustees of the Elevated Railway, knowing his fine record in representing the railway before legislative committees and State departments, as well as in all of his daily duties, named him to succeed the late H. Ware Barnum.

## Questions and Answers

"Have you heard the question, sir?"

"It's Jimmy Jemal, the air's original inquiring reporter interviewing on his WMCA 'Doing the Town' program; and prepared to receive any kind of answer."

So Arthur Miller begins his character sketch in the *Chicago Radio Guide* of E. J. (Jimmy) Jemal '18, former Brown halfback and for 16 years the Inquiring Photographer of the *New York Daily News*. The sketch carries the title of "Camera-man Into Mke-man," and tells all about Jimmy's assignment to ask questions of the man on the street and print the answers in his column. He's a broadcaster now, and you can hear the answers on the radio.

"When Jimmy went to see a broadcast at the original WJZ studios in 1923," Miller writes, "he asked Vaughn de Leath what she thought of the future of radio . . . She asked him to step up to the microphone with her and ask again, and the answer was a-ree."

"Then and there the Inquiring Photographer made his debut on radio as the Inquiring Reporter. Thirteen years later the Inquiring Reporter returned to the air."

"Jimmy Jemal has queried well over 400,000 people for his column, and now whenever you listen to 'Doing the Town' you can hear the interviewing reporter on one of the fastest, smoothest and most interesting programs of its type, unusual weather conditions often adding to its distinctiveness."

Downey interrupted his college course to go to war, came back to take his degree in 1920, and then went on to Harvard Law School. Admitted to the Massachusetts bar in 1923, he joined the firm of Peabody, Arnold, Batchelder & Luther in Boston. He first practiced in the Federal courts in 1926, and in 1929 went to the Boston Elevated as Mr. Barnum's assistant. He and his family—he has three children—live in the old home town of Hingham, Mass.

Alan S. Browne, in business at the Hoboken Factory Terminal, Hoboken, N. J., is living at 455 Main Street, Port Washington, N. Y.

## 1920

Frederick E. Schoeneweiss was elected and installed as Junior Warden of What Cheer Lodge of Masons, Providence, at the last annual meeting. He is still on the job with the Title Guarantee Company of Rhode Island and active in the Brown Club of Providence.

Willard H. Forristall, supervisor for the Factory Insurance Association, Hartford, is living at 58 Montclair Drive, West Hartford, Conn.

## 1921

Rev. Herbert E. MacCombie has begun his duties as pastor of the First Baptist Church, Lynn, Mass., after having been pastor of the Elmwood Baptist Church, Providence, for the past eight years. He is a former president of the Rhode Island Baptist Ministers' Conference and the

Rhode Island State Christian Endeavor Society.

Dr. Eske H. Windsberg discussed "the increasing practice of resorting to surgery to aid recovery of tuberculosis patients" (we quote from the *Providence Journal*) at the quarterly meeting of the Rhode Island Medical Society last month.

Reginald S. Kimball, who has been superintendent of schools of Brookfield, Mass., for the past six years, has changed his mail address from North Brookfield to Monson, Mass.

## 1922

Ralph S. Brown is a member of the first year class in the evening division of the School of Law, Northeastern University, Boston.

George P. Farrell, Jr., and Mrs. Farrell have changed their house address to 12 Maynard Street, Pawtucket.

M. S. Kantrowitz, chemist in the United States Government Printing Office, reports that his mail address is 741 Madison Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

## 1923

Nelson C. Hoxsie, Jr., manager of the New Bedford, Mass., district of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, gave an illustrated talk on "Highlights of Modern Telephony" before the Leighton Club of the Fairhaven Unitarian Memorial Church last month. Hoxsie has about 13,000 subscribers in his district, of which he became manager in December, 1930.

William Dighton, 2nd, is teaching at the Columbian Preparatory School, Washington, D. C.

Allen B. Sikes is a member of the committee of the Brown University Club in New York which is arranging for the annual Brown dinner on Monday, Feb. 15, with President Wriston as guest of honor.

Alexander G. Russell is on the technical staff of Western Electric Company at the Hawthorne Works, Chicago.

## 1924

Carlton H. Bliss, representing several fire insurance companies, has his own agency at 63 North Washington Street, North Attleboro, Mass.

Rev. Paul D. Wilbur has succeeded Rev. Dr. George Fisk Dudley as rector of the Church of St. Stephen and the Incarnation in Washington, D. C., where his address is 3421 Center Street, N. W. For the past three years Wilbur has been rector of St. Thomas's Church, Bethel, Conn., and since 1935 has been chaplain of the Connecticut House of Representatives.

Wilfred C. Shattuck, salesman with Wickwire Spencer Steel Company, is working out of the New York office at 41 East 42nd Street.

Roger P. Behan is living at 2152 Pioneer Road, Evanston, Ill.

Robert Woods is with the Washburn Crosby Company, millers, at 327 South LaSalle Street, Chicago.

## No Football Nor Vacation

CARLOS H. CRANDALL '27 is Dean of the Western Union Telegraph Company School at Bloomfield, N. J., and he says that he enjoys the work. "All we lack here," he has written, "is a football team and a summer vacation. He has had as many as 200 students at one time since he has been in charge of the school."

## Accumulation

COMMENTING on the football season, Russell C. Wonderlic '27 wrote recently: "There must be a lot of old boxes, fence posts and the like lying around the back alleys of Providence for it is a long time since the neighbors of Brown have been cleaned out of kindling wood to supply a victory bonfire."

## 1925

Richmond H. Sweet is the new secretary of Beta Chapter of Delta Phi Corporation. He succeeds William A. McAuslan '96, keeper of the graduate records of Delta Phi for many years.

Newton T. Dana's new house address is 52 Wilson Avenue, Rumford, R. I.

John A. French has become vice president of the Brown Club of Washington, D. C., after having efficiently served for several years as secretary.

W. Irving Levy's correct address in New York City is 1130 Park Avenue.

## 1926

Lloyd D. Keigwin is an associate in the law offices of Haskell, Lyon & Block, 19 Rector Street, New York City.

Matthew W. Goring has received commission as Captain, Judge Advocate General's Department, U. S. Army Reserves.

J. S. Temkin was elected a director for three years of the Touro Fraternal Association at the annual meeting in Providence last month.

Elon J. Notley, adjustor with Aetna Life Insurance Company, has recently changed his address to 700 Wolcott Avenue, Syracuse, N. Y.

Fordyce Lozier is a newly-elected member of the executive board of the Consumers' Club of Rhode Island. He is credit manager with Scott Furniers, Inc., Providence.

Garrett D. Byrnes, moving picture reviewer for the *Providence Journal* and *Evening Bulletin*, was co-author with W. C. Worthington '23 and Roger T. Clapp '19 of "Thar She Blows," the Christmas show given at the Providence Art Club on Dec. 18. The piece, with special music and lots of atmosphere, dealt with dramatic events aboard a whaler ice-bound in the Arctic Ocean on Christmas Day, 1836.

Elmer R. Smith of the English Department, Central High School, Providence, told the *Providence Evening Bulletin* one day last month that in the Providence schools the King's English was becoming more democratic and progressive. "We are not teaching 'It is me' here in Providence," he said, "but we are condoning it. It must be realized that the English language is alive, it is changing and growing from day to day, and the fact remains that people everywhere do say 'It is me.' What else is there to do but accept it? . . . In the teaching of correct usage the purpose is the formation of good speech habits rather than the knowledge of correct forms."

## 1927

C. Stuart Henderson of the sports staff of the Hartford, Conn. *Times* has been re-elected secretary of the Connecticut Professional Golf Association.

J. William Merriam was a campus visitor the week end before Christmas, coming down from Worcester, Mass., where he is in cost accounting work with the Graton & Knight Manufacturing Company.



Harvey C. Stafford sailed from New York shortly after Christmas for Paris to join the Paris staff of Price, Waterhouse & Company, accountants. His assignment over there is for an indefinite period. His mail address is 149 Boulevard Haussmann.

Russell C. Wonderlic, agency organizer for the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York in Buffalo, wrote in December that he was pleased to hear that his classmate, Rev. Franklin D. (Flick) Elmer, Jr., had become minister of the Baptist Church in Lockport, N. Y.

Dr. Henry G. Atha has opened an office for the practice of medicine in the Lipman Building, Thomaston, Conn., a town about ten miles east of Waterbury. In another column of this issue is report of Atha's marriage.

Harold B. Master, retiring president of the Brown Club of Washington, D. C., has been named to the Board of Governors for the term ending in 1938.

#### 1928

Adin B. Capron, with St. Joseph Lead Company at the firm's zinc smelter on the Ohio river at Monaca, Pa., said in a note at Christmas time that Adin the Third, who will celebrate his first birthday next month, should be a welcome addition to the Brown football squad in 1956 or 1957, and added the wish that Brown would have a winning season "between now and then." He sent his best to Nelson B. Jones, Jr., and other friends in the Class.

John E. Brennan and Mrs. Brennan represented the Class at the luncheon given Dec. 10 at the City Club, Milwaukee, Wis., to President-elect Wriston.

John N. Shotton was recently elected to the Board of Governors of the Brown Club of Washington, D. C., for the term expiring in 1940.

Frank J. Jones, Jr., has the sympathy of the Class in the loss of his father, Dr. Frank J. Jones, well known Providence physician, who died Dec. 17, 1936.

#### 1929

Nathan E. Pass is president of the newly organized East Providence High School Alumni Association. Pass is a member of the high school faculty.

Charles H. Barnard is practising law with his father at 875 Elm Street, Manchester, N. H. Mrs. Barnard is also a lawyer, having graduated from Boston University Law School in 1935.

Hyman Lisker was admitted to practice law before the Federal Court in Providence last month.

Norman T. (Bucky) Wright, industrial engineer with the Gorham Manufacturing Company, is living at 76 Alvin Street, Providence.

William J. Parish, report says, is getting his mail at present at 2666 Leighton Road, Shaker Square Station, Cleveland, O.

#### 1930

R. D. E. MacLean, investigator with the American Mutual Insurance Company, is studying law at night at the School of Law, Northeastern University, Boston.

Curtis Herbert is with Fox, O'Hara & Co., members of the New York Stock Exchange, at 60 Broad Street, New York City.

Gilbert F. Williams is a salesman for the Berkshire Chemical Co. (his father's firm), Bridgeport, Conn., importers and dealers in agricultural chemicals, with New England as his territory. He is married, and

has two children, Shirley Anne, five, and Gilbert, Jr., just a year old. In a recent note he admitted that he had been an enthusiastic radio amateur since 1917. His Government call letters are W1APA. He wonders "how many Brown men there are in 'ham' radio."

A. A. Macdonald, with Central Hanover Bank and Trust Company, New York City, has left his beloved Yonkers for Merrick, N. Y., where he and Mrs. Macdonald have settled after their honeymoon. At the bank Angus handles corporate trust work.

Malcolm D. McCulloch is sales engineer with Baldwin-Duckworth Chain Corporation, Worcester, Mass., and is living at 42 Pakachoag Street, Auburn, Mass.

Gilbert C. Rich is librarian of the Provincetown, Mass., Public Library, and is living at 129 Commercial Street in that pic-

turesque and popular (in summer) Cape Cod town.

Maurice W. Hendel, Providence lawyer, is president of the Touro Fraternal Association for 1937.

#### 1931

Alden R. Walls is now assistant cloth superintendent at the Wood Worsted Mills, Lawrence, Mass. He and his family are still at the old address, 48 York Street, Shawsheen Village, picturesque Lawrence suburb.

Ernest G. Hapgood, Jr., former secretary of the national fraternity of Zeta Psi, is back in New York City in life insurance sales with Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, 347 Madison Avenue. He lives at 146 Waverly Place.

Richard H. Howland, archaeologist working in the agora at Athens under the auspices of the American School of Classical Studies, came home for the holidays and



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renewed contacts at Brown and at Harvard

John F. Aiso, writing from Tokyo, Japan, and sending a stamp commemorating the opening of the new Japanese Diet Building, amiably corrects the item in the October BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY about the Rev. Charles R. Bell, Jr. '30. "Charlie and I are having daily reunion," he said. "He has come to Japan by way of China, Suez and Europe, and is returning to the States on December 3."

Ugo Gasbarro, who took his LL.B. at Boston University School of Law, has opened an office in partnership with Hugo G. Caroselli at 485 Atwell's Avenue, Providence.

Donald O'Neill's new house address is 40-18 215th Place, Bayside, N. Y.

Dr. Charles Potter, formerly on the medical staff of the Rhode Island State Infirmary at Howard, is now associated with the Michael Reese Hospital, Chicago.

Robert H. Morey, back from the African jungle where he went to study the development and cultural peculiarities of the natives of Liberia, is now at the Institute of Human Relations, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.

David M. Edes is in charge of the office of General Motors Acceptance Corporation, White Plains, N. Y., and he and Mrs. Edes are living on Lake Boulevard, Mahopac, N. Y.

Robert V. Cronan has recently been assigned to the uptown office of Charles F. Noyes Company, real estate, at 295 Madison Avenue, New York City.

### 1932

Charles C. Tillinghast, Jr., is with the law firm of Hughes, Schurman & Dwight at 100 Broadway. He and his family are living at 87 Perry Street, New York City.

George M. Mullervy was recently elected first vice president of the East Providence High School Alumni Association. He is teaching at the Central Junior High School in East Providence.

Russell H. B. Corp is back on duty again after a five weeks' stay at Rhode Island Hospital for a head injury incurred when a sign on a Providence department store blew down in a gale and hit him. The greetings of the Class are given to Russ's daughter, whose arrival is reported in another column. The Corps are living at 56 Toronto Avenue, Providence.

Frederic P. Williams, organist at St. Martin's Church, Providence, was the author of "Sacred Music; a Noble Heri-

tage," in a recent issue of the *Diocesan Record*, Rhode Island Episcopal publication.

Rev. Richard S. Emrich, assistant rector of St. John's Church, Waterbury, Conn., has recently been lecturing on "Christianity and the Nazi State." For the past two years he has been studying in Germany, has his Ph.D. from the University of Marburg, and so has seen the Nazis and Nazi culture at first hand. He was ordained as priest of the Episcopal Church by Bishop Henry Knox Sherrill.

George W. Schwenck, in the educational division of *Young America*, the national news weekly for youth, said in a recent note that "everything is going fine." He and Jack Morrison are living at 33 West 55th Street, New York City, not very far from George's office at 32 East 57th Street.

E. B. (Dick) Marsan is now on the permanent staff of the Cranston Print Works office at 40 Worth Street, New York City.

### 1933

Rev. Ira J. Martin, 3rd, graduate of Andover Newton Theological School, has begun his work as minister of the First Baptist Church, Littleton, Mass. Mrs. Martin, the former Ethel V. Augenstein of Marion, O., holds the degree of Master of Religious Education from Newton. She was superintendent of the primary department of Plymouth Congregational Church, Belmont, Mass., while she was studying for her Master's degree.

Rev. Gardner H. Shattuck, assistant at Trinity Church, Boston, was ordained as deacon of the Episcopal Church by the Rt. Rev. James DeWolf Perry '12, honorary, in Providence, Dec. 2.

Joe Thompson, salesman with the Babcock & Wilcox Company, Detroit, reports his new house address to be 1415 Parker Avenue, Parkstone Apartments, Detroit, Mich.

John R. Simpson has recently changed his address in Scranton, Pa., to 615 Monroe Avenue.

John E. Flemming, Jr., writes that his present mail address is 22 Center Street, Apartment A, Chatham, N. J.

F. P. (Fritz) Bassett, Jr., in publicity work with William R. Harshe at 20 N. Wacker Drive, Chicago, did a fine job for the Brown Club of Chicago when President-elect Wriston was guest of the Club on Dec. 8. He had pictures of Dr. Wriston and stories of the dinner in the *Chicago Tribune*, *Herald and Examiner*, *News*, and *Times*, and the Alumni Office is grateful for the scrapbook that Fritz sent.

Jack Redding is a member of the city staff of the *Chicago American*, Hearst Building, Chicago.

Davis P. Low reports a change of mail address from Carroll Springs Inn, Forest Glen, Md., to 2230 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

### 1934

Bob Hall, assistant credit manager with the Kennedy Company, men's clothiers, at 32 Summer Street, Boston, is in the second-year class of the evening division, School of Law, Northeastern University.

Irving Pascal is with Francis I. duPont & Company, investments, at One Wall Street, New York City.

Rev. H. Campbell Eatough has become pastor of the First Baptist Church of West- erty, accepting the unanimous call made to him late in November. For six years, in-

cluding the four that he was at Brown, he has been pastor of the Quidnick Baptist Church, and is president of the Kent County Ministers' Circle.

Charles R. Wilks received his Sc.M. in physics from Brown during the past fall, Dean R. G. D. Richardson of the Graduate School reports. Caesar Danesi won a similar degree in engineering and physics, and C. A. Fuller, Jr., in biology.

Fred Haas, Jr., with the Newport Trust Company, Newport, was an Alumni Office visitor one day last month, coming in to ask about some of his old chums and to talk football. He is doing work for the Brown Alumni Fund in his city.

Eugene O. Swayne, member of the Class in Freshman year, is in the real estate business with his father's firm, Albert W. Swayne, at 520 N. Michigan Avenue, Chicago.

William C. Strand, Jr., who left college at the end of Freshman year, is rewrite man and reporter with the City News Bureau of Chicago, and is living at 819 Bradley Place in that city.

Roland A. Crowell was elected and installed Junior Deacon of Corinthian Lodge of Masons, Providence, at the last annual meeting.

Briggs A. Doherty is manager of Langrock-Brown, Inc., men's wear, and is living at 11 Aldrich Terrace, Providence.

### 1935

Jack Steen is a junior accountant with Scovell, Wellington & Company, 110 State Street, Boston.

Russ Ticknor is studying at Fordham Law School. From last February, when he ended work at Brown for his degree, until July he worked as a clerk in the law offices of Ticknor & Ticknor. He is living at 37 Willets Road, Mount Kisco, N. Y.

Frank Lange, member of the Class for two years, is a salesman working out of the Springfield, Mass., plant of the Baldwin-Duckworth Chain Corporation, and is living at 38 Washington Road, Springfield.

Bill Broomhead has been carrying on the business of Carr's, Inc., caterers, in Providence while his father Senator Fred C. Broomhead '05, has been recovering from a severe illness.

Al Ascher, who left college in Junior year because of illness, is sales manager for the Auto Gear and Parts Co., Inc., and lives at 42 Cherryvale Avenue, Springfield, Mass.

### One of Those Chosen

NO LESS an authority than Professor Ben W. Brown '19 says that Meyer Rosenthal '32, whose stage name is Anthony Ross, has been giving a splendid performance in the leading role of "200 Were Chosen," the play about the homesteaders in Alaska, which the Actors' Repertory Company put on in New York in the fall.

The *Brooklyn Times-Union* recently carried a story on Ross, telling of his days as an amateur at the Brooklyn Little Theatre, and his stage career at preparatory school and at Brown.



Ed Briggs is in charge of the laboratory of Southern Franklin Process Company, Greenville, S. C., where he and his family (Mrs. Briggs and Carol Ann Briggs) live at 413 St. John Street.

Jim McKinley is manager of the collection division of William Iselin & Co., Inc., factors at 357 Fourth Avenue, New York City. Jim is also a member of the Seventh Regiment, N. G. N. Y.

### 1936

Jim Whitcomb has recently changed jobs in the Department of Commerce at Washington, being now with the Business Advisory Council instead of the Census Bureau, with which he started. His new office address is Room 7527, Department of Commerce Building.

Norman Appleyard is in the sales division of the General Electric Company, Bridgeport, Conn.

Chad Brown is secretary of Arthur H. Brown, Inc., wholesale hardware, 89 Commercial Avenue, Cambridge, Mass.

Jack Buckley is assistant to the controller of Gladdings, Inc., department store, Providence.

Al Buffinton is an apprentice engineer with the Babcock & Wilcox Company, manufacturers of boilers and pressure equipment, Barberton, O.

Doug Burnside is studying for his A.M. degree in the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts College, and is living at 136 Curtis Street, Medford, Mass.

Gordon Cadwgan is a member of the sales staff of Bodell & Co., investments, 32 Custom House Street, Providence.

Steve Burgess is in the production control department of the Collyer Insulated Wire Company, Pawtucket.

George Caswell, Jr., is on the sales staff of the Burroughs Adding Machine Company, with his headquarters at 58 Weybosset Street, Providence.

Al Robinson is a teacher and assistant coach at the Berlin, Conn., High School, and is living at 319 Percival Avenue, Kensington, Conn.

Herman Schein is with the West Side Plumbing Supply Company, 38-40 16th Avenue, Newark, N. J., where he handles the buying and selling of air conditioning equipment.

Peyton Moss has withdrawn from Harvard Law School to go to Washington as assistant secretary to Theodore Francis Green '87, new United States Senator from Rhode Island.

Jack Tukey holds the Grand Army of the Republic Fellowship for advanced study in chemistry at Brown; Horace Booth is doing work in romance languages on a University Graduate Scholarship, and Louis Willemin holds a similar scholarship in English.

Eddie Neal is working for Devoe & Raynolds Co., Inc., makers of varnishes, paints, and artists' materials, and is living at the Lenox Hotel, Newark, N. J.

Leon M. Payne is a first-year student at the Law School, University of Texas. Report is that he is already saving a little money to come North at Commencement next June for the first reunion of the Class.

Jack Glover is the new secretary of the Brown Club of Washington, D. C., his home city.

Geoffrey Graham is with General Motors Export Company at 1775 Broadway, and is living at 252 West 29th Street, New York City.

### Engagements

MISS MARTHA ALICIA TROY, daughter of George F. Troy '98 and Mrs. Troy, to George A. Paine '26 of Edgewood, R. I.

Miss Katherine Keller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Workman Keller of Los Angeles, Calif., to Kenneth A. O'Brien '28 of Yonkers, N. Y., son of Dennis F. O'Brien '98 and Mrs. O'Brien.

Miss Madeline Harriet Bogin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Bogin of Pawtucket, to James Sanek '31 of Providence.

Miss Lois Whitaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Benjamin Whitaker of Providence, to Edward H. McCoy '35 of Lonsdale, R. I. Miss Whitaker was Pembroke College '35.

Miss Elizabeth Palmer, daughter of John S. Palmer, 2nd '05 and Mrs. Palmer, to William P. Adams '35 of Bath, Me.

### Weddings

1927—Dr. Henry G. Atha and Miss Grace Lynn MacTavish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacTavish of Moncton, N. B., were married in Providence Nov. 16, 1936. They are living on Walnut Street, Thomaston, Conn.

1928—H. Hamlin Hodges and Miss Harriet Lawton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lawton, were married in West Warwick, R. I., Dec. 8, 1936. They are at home in Bethesda, Md.

1929—Robert P. Montague and Miss Marjorie Sidelinger, daughter of Mrs. William F. Sidelinger, were married in Winchendon, Mass., Nov. 14, 1936. Dr. F. Charles Hanson, Jr., '29 was best man and Maurice R. Seymour '29 was an usher. Mr. and Mrs. Montague are living in Southbridge, Mass. Mrs. Montague is Pembroke College '27.

1929—Lieut. Paul Waterman, Air Corps, U. S. A., and Miss Dorothy May Phipps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence Phipps, were married in San Francisco, Calif., Nov. 23, 1936. They are at home at Wheeler Field, Oahu, Hawaii.

1929—Charles H. Barnard and Miss Pauline Beatrice Briggs, daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Briggs, were married in North Anson, Me., Nov. 20, 1936. They are at home at 847 Beach Street, Manchester, N. H.

1930—Archibald A. Macdonald, Jr., and Miss Emma Marie Klein, daughter of Mr. William C. Klein, were married in Merrick, L. I., N. Y., Nov. 21, 1936. They are at home at 12 Rutgers Place, Merrick.

1931—James A. Laadt and Miss Louise Mary Dvorak, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Louis John Dvorak, were married in Chicago, Nov. 28, 1936.

1932—John F. Glover and Miss Anne Marie Ganley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Ganley, were married in Providence, Nov. 23, 1936. They are living at 12 Hayward Street, Auburn.

1934—Herbert S. Phillips and Miss Hope Gorham, daughter of the late Professor Frederic P. Gorham '93 and Mrs. Gorham, were married in Providence, Dec. 12, 1936. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Sayles Gorham '22. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips are at home at 324 Pleasant Street, Rumford. Mrs. Phillips is a graduate of Mount Holyoke College.

1936—Richard F. Olney and Miss Doris Palmer Henney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David B. Henney, were married in Hartford, Conn., Nov. 20, 1936. They are at home in East Glastonbury, Conn.

### Births

1907—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Clark of Shanamar, Wakefield, R. I., twins, Jeremy Carew and Judith Somerset, Dec. 7, 1936.

1908—To Mr. and Mrs. Christopher A. Greene of Ivy Depot, Va., a daughter, Florence Esther, Nov. 16, 1936.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. George C. Johnson of Brooklyn, N. Y., a son, George Edward, Dec. 8, 1936.

1926—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry N. Arnold of Greene, R. I., triplets, two girls and a boy, Dec. 14, 1936.

1926—To Mr. and Mrs. W. Roland Harrall of Providence, a daughter, Elise Wiles, Dec. 11, 1936.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Horn of Brooklyn, N. Y., a daughter, Pamela, Dec. 6, 1936.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Earle F. Leach of Baldwin, N. Y., a son, Earle Freeman Leach, Jr., Nov. 12, 1935. Mrs. Leach was Mabel Aldrich Williston, Pembroke College '25.

1930—To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Bennett of Torrington, Conn., a son Danforth, Dec. 10, 1936.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Brennan of Pawtucket, a son, Arthur W. Brennan, Jr., Dec. 10, 1936.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. William G. Hardy of Albany, N. Y., a son, Robert Clyde, Dec. 12, 1936.

1935—To Mr. and Mrs. Mason L. Dunn of Providence, a son, Richard Mason, Dec. 7, 1936.



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## Those We Mourn

1877

**T**HE Alumni Office has confirmed report of the death of Dr. Samuel J. Bradbury, who received his M.D. degree from Bellevue Hospital Medical College in 1880, and who was former Health Officer of Lynbrook, L. I., and president of the People's National Bank & Trust Company of that town. Miss Mary J. Bradbury, his daughter, lives at 22 Earle Avenue, Lynbrook.

1879

**H**ENRY WEBSTER KEIGWIN, retired teacher and author of textbooks on mathematics, died at his home in Mt. Vernon, N. Y., Nov. 24, 1936, after an illness of several months. His teaching career covered a span of nearly 50 years.

At the time of his retirement eleven years ago the year book of Bedford Annex, Evander Childs High School, New York City, carried his picture with the inscription: "A brilliant scholar, a wise and sympathetic counselor, an able administrator, a cultured gentleman, and a perfect type of the ideal schoolmaster."

During his career he taught mathematics at Connecticut Literary Institution, where he prepared for college, Norwich Free Academy, Morris High School, Evander Childs High School, and at other schools in Connecticut and New Jersey. He also spent a term at Brown in 1883-84. He was at Norwich Free Academy for 12 years before resigning to go to Morris High School in New York City.

Born in Griswold, Conn., Aug. 6, 1855, the son of Erastus C. and Hannah (Paine) Keigwin, he made a good record at Brown and returned to his old school in Suffield to teach mathematics for the next four years. After a term at Brown he went to Harvard to do post graduate work in mathematics and physics. He left Harvard in June, 1885, and taught at Matawan, N. J., and Cheshire, Conn., before going to Norwich.

He was married Nov. 23, 1887, to Miss Lissa I. Hatheway of Suffield, who survives with three sons, Lloyd D. Keigwin '26, Richard F. and Henry S. Keigwin, and two daughters, Mrs. Ruth K. Beebe and Miss Ada Keigwin. He was deeply interested in Brown, and he always enjoyed attending the reunions of his class.

1880

**P**RESCOTT ORLOFF CLARKE, architect who designed many buildings and houses in Rhode Island and Providence, died in Providence, Nov. 18, 1936, after a long illness. He retired in 1928 after 31 years of practice as an architect.

Born in Providence, March 10, 1858, the son of George L. and Frances A. (Chace) Clarke, he prepared at Mowry & Goff's English and Classical School. On graduation from Brown he went to work for the Brown and Sharpe Manufacturing Company, but soon left to join his father's firm of Clarke, Black and Company. In 1890, after his father's death, he closed out the company and enrolled at Massachusetts Institute of Technology to study architecture, which had long been his ambition.

Returning to Providence in 1892 he formed a partnership with Albert R. Spaulding under the name of Clarke and Spaulding. The firm became Clarke and Howe in 1901, and Clarke, Howe & Homer several years later. The work of Clarke and his associates is to be seen in St. Martin's Church and parish house, six buildings for St. George's School at Newport, the Brown Gymnasium, Providence Post Office Building, Arnold Laboratory and the Engineering Building on the Brown campus, Rhode Island Medical Society Building, Providence Gas Company Building, and Rhode Island Country Club house. Interested in civic beauty, Clarke gave generously of his time and talents to aid and encourage real civic improvement.

He had been a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects since 1914, was active in the Rhode Island Chapter of the Institute, and was a member of the University Club, Providence Art Club, Agawam Hunt Club, and Alpha Delta Phi. He attended the First Congregational Church. He was married April 16, 1895, to Miss Mary Chase, who survives, with two daughters, a son, and five grandchildren.

1894

**D**R. GEORGE WARREN GARDNER, practicing physician in Providence for 35 years, died in Damariscotta, Me., Nov. 14, 1936, after an illness of about two years. He went to Damariscotta to spend vacation in 1935 and was not able to return home.

Born in Bristol, N. H., in 1872, the son

of C. C. and Susan (Bartlett) Gardner, he prepared at Biddeford, Me., High School and won his A.B. at Brown in 1894. After graduation he joined the staff of F. T. Guild '90, Registrar, and remained for two years, resigning to enter Harvard Medical School. He received his M.D. from Harvard in 1900 and for the next year was house surgeon at Carney Hospital, Boston. He also served as house physician at Boston Lying-In Hospital before coming to Providence to start practice.

For several years he was physician for the University, and for 22 years visiting surgeon to Rhode Island Hospital. On the entrance of the United States into the World War in 1917 he took commission as First Lieutenant, Medical Corps, and became chief surgeon at Surgical Base Hospital, Camp Sevier, S. C. He was also surgeon on the staff of Ancon Hospital, Canal Zone, before his honorable discharge in March, 1919, with the rank of Major, M.C.

He belonged to the American College of Surgeons, the Rhode Island, Providence, and New England Medical Societies, the New England Surgical Society, and Delta Phi. He was married April 7, 1904, to Jessie Loring Barker, sister of the late Henry A. Barker '93. Mrs. Gardner is his only immediate survivor. The house in which the Gardners lived on George Street, together with a splendid collection of colonial furniture, was given to the University a few years ago.

1903

**D**R. GEORGE CHENERY ANTHONY, physician, and organist and choirmaster of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Wellesley, Mass., died in Wellesley, Oct. 22, 1936, after a long illness.

Born in Central Falls, R. I., Dec. 11, 1878, the son of Charles H. and Edith P. (Remington) Anthony, he prepared at Providence Classical High School and was a special student at Brown for the year 1899-1900. He transferred to Boston University Medical School, received the M.D. degree in 1904, and after two years of internship in Dorchester, Mass., and Biddeford, Me., hospitals, commenced practice in Wellesley.

During the World War he was First Lieutenant, Medical Corps, U. S. A., and the time of his death held the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, Medical Reserve, 94th Division. He belonged to the American Medical Association, Massachusetts Medical Society, New England Roentgen Ray Society, and was on the staffs of the Newton, the Leonard Morse, the Waltham, and Framingham Union Hospitals. He was a member of the University Club of Boston, the Harvard Musical Society, Wellesley Lodge of Masons, Kiwanis, and Alpha Tau Omega. Surviving are his wife, a son and a daughter, a brother and two sisters, one of whom is Mrs. Clarence G. Hamilton, widow of Professor Clarence G. Hamilton '88.

1905

**F**RANCIS HENRY SHEDDON, for many years in the import and export business, died suddenly at his home in East Orange, N. J., Oct. 29, 1936.

Born in West Suffield, Conn., Sept. 5, 1881, the son of Henry A. and Mary A. (Rice) Sheldon, he prepared at what is now Suffield School and was a student at Brown for two years. He left in 1903 to begin work as a civil engineer with the Southern Pacific Company, San Francisco. He was later assistant engineer on physical

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valuation with the Northwestern Pacific Railroad at San Rafael.

After the World War he moved East and joined the staff of James A. Hearn & Son, department store, in New York City. He became managing director of the foreign department of Hearn's, made numerous trips abroad, had an office in Paris, and did business in Sweden, Germany, and France. In a letter written from Paris in 1922 to the Class Secretary he said: "Some people think we should not buy from the Germans, but if the English and French can forgive them to the extent of buying their goods I guess we can."

In recent years he had carried on an insurance business. He was a member of San Francisco Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, Berkeley Lodge of Masons, an associate member of the Seven Seas

Club of London, and on the Board of Deacons of the Arlington Avenue Presbyterian Church, East Orange. He was married Sept. 15, 1909, to Miss Emily Garfield Hoar, who survives, with a son, Frank H. Sheldon, Jr., and a daughter, Margaret P. Sheldon.

## 1928

**G**EORGE ANTHONY O'CONNOR, lawyer, died at Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, Dec. 9, 1936, as a result of injuries received when struck by a trolley car as he was crossing Westminster Street.

Born in Providence, Oct. 23, 1904, the son of Edward deV. O'Connor '92 and Susan T. (Cottrell) O'Connor, he prepared at LaSalle Academy and entered Brown in September, 1923, after having been a student for a short time at Providence College. Although listed with the class of 1927 he took his degree with 1928 and considered himself a member of the last-named class.

His major subject at Brown was English. A quiet, courteous, intelligent student, the late Dean Kenneth O. Mason '14 characterized him. He was a member of Phi Kappa, but did not take part in extra-curricular activities.

After graduation he studied law at Boston University Law School and in his father's office and became a member of the Rhode Island bar in November, 1932. He was married Oct. 23, 1933, to Miss Gertrude A. Donnelly, who survives, with a son, David G. O'Connor; his father, and a brother, Edward G. O'Connor '22. Charles J. O'Connor '95 is an uncle.

## 1929

**H**ENRY WILLARD DAVIS, editor of the *Newport County Sentinel* for the past five years, was killed by carbon monoxide gas in the garage of his home at Tiverton, R. I., Dec. 9, 1936. He was overcome while trying to reach the door which had shut as he was warming up his motor.

Born in Fall River, Mass., Jan. 3, 1909, the son of Charles H. and Ruth (Church) Davis, he came to Brown from B. M. C. Durfee High School and gave his spare time to work on the *Brown Daily Herald*. He was on the *Herald* staff for three years. Sociology was his special study, and he read widely in it.

"Unassuming and unobtrusive, he has that genial personality that enables him to make a number of friends and always keep them," *Liber Brunensis* of 1929 said. "Will is one of those enterprising young men who are interested in everything . . . He does not need to be wished luck, as he will find success quite easily."

On graduation he became news editor of the *Newport County Sentinel*, an independent weekly newspaper published in Tiverton, and in 1930 moved up to editor-in-chief. Surviving are his mother, with whom he lived, and three sisters. His father was drowned in the summer of 1932 while crossing the Sakonnet river in a canoe. For three-quarters of an hour his son held him up in the choppy water until rescuers came, but Mr. Davis, Sr., could not be revived after being taken ashore.

# Alumnae of Brown

BY GERTRUDE ALLEN McCONNELL  
Executive Secretary of the Alumnae Ass'n

## Alumnae Play

**S**OME of the alumnae who were former members of Komians will present "The Circle," by W. Somerset Maugham in Alumnae Hall on February 12th and 13th. The play had previously been announced for January. It is expected that the cast will consist entirely of alumnae, but undergraduate members of Komians will assist in the production. In former years the alumnae gave an annual play and it is hoped that this year's presentation will revive the old tradition.

## Alumnae Education Day

**T**HE Alumnae Association will present its third annual Alumnae Education Day on Saturday, March 13th. The program will be devoted to the field of Psychology and the lectures will be given by members of the Psychology Department at Brown. Dr. Edward H. Kemp will begin the series with "How we hear and why." He will be followed by Dr. J. McVicker Hunt, who will speak on "Inner needs and human behavior." A question period and an informal supper will follow the two lectures. "Scientific child guidance" will be the subject of the evening lecture, which is to be given by Dr. Herbert H. Jasper. The lectures will be open to all who are interested in this field. The fee for the course will be \$1.00, single session 75c.

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## Engagements

1934—Ruth C. Whitaker to C. Knowlton Shaw, Jr. Mr. Shaw is a graduate of Moses Brown and Williams College, class of 1930. He is a member of Psi Upsilon fraternity.

1935—Olive W. Clark to Frank Waite Spear of Edgewood.

1935 n—Lois Whitaker to Edward H. McCoy. Mr. McCoy graduated from Moses Brown and Brown University '35. He is a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity.

1936—Julia Watson to Adrian Tourge.

## Weddings

1927—Marjorie Sidelinger was married to Robert Perry Montague on November 14, 1936. Mr. Montague is a graduate of Brown University and of Harvard Law School. They are living at 54 Oakes Ave., Southbridge, Mass.

1931—Alice B. Kennedy was married on Thanksgiving Day to Bernard V. O'Neill of Washington D. C. He is a graduate of New York University and is Comptroller for the Hechinger Building Company in Washington.

1932—Harriet Lawton was married to H. Hamlin Hodges, Brown '29 on December 8, 1936. Following a honeymoon trip to Bermuda, they are living at 4710 Edgemore Lane, Bethesda, Maryland.

1932—Beulah B. Morris was married to Theodore Charles Martus, brother of Ethel Martus '29, on September 5, 1936, at the Second Congregational Church in Waterbury. Miss Martus was maid of honor. Mr. Martus is a graduate of Heidelberg College at Tiffin, Ohio.

1933—Emily Bond was married to Wesley F. Huse, Brown '31, on November 21, 1936. Mr. and Mrs. Huse are making their home in Armuelles, Panama, where Mr.

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1934—Evelyn Freyberg was married on May 30, 1936, to Mr. Lawrence Abelson, Columbia '31. Mr. and Mrs. Abelson are living at 241 Central Park West, New York City.

#### **Births**

1924—To Mr. and Mrs. Leroy L. Walter (Helen Fenner), a second son, Thomas Smith, on November 25, 1936.

1926—To Mr. and Mrs. Herman M. Markensohn (Yvette Frank), a daughter, Frances Leslie, on October 5, 1936.

1926—To Mr. and Mrs. Maurice K. Pope (Lucy Russell), a son, Russell, on November 12, 1936.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. John F. Waterman (Dorothy Wanderburgh), a son, John F., Jr., on December 5, 1936. The Watermans are moving shortly to make their home in Rochester, N. Y.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Schmidt (Charlotte Foye), a daughter, Nancy, on November 14, 1936.

1929—To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Moursund, Jr. (Lulu Vorleck), a second son, David Garvin, on November 3, 1936.

#### **Class Notes**

1897—Ruth Roundy Allen (Mrs. John S.) is spending the winter at 113 1/4 S. Occidental Boulevard, Los Angeles, Calif.

1897—Caroline Tuthill Starr (Mrs. Harris E.) has left Washington and is living at 182 Cold Spring St., New Haven, Conn.

1899—Myra H. Butler is dietitian at the Bently School in New York and is living at 25 West 85th St., Apt. 2A, N. Y. C.

1899—Sarah Hale Colvin (formerly Mrs. Williamson), is spending the winter at 557 Second Ave., St. Petersburg, Florida.

1900—Mabel Le Valley Chapman received her M.A. degree from the University of New Mexico last June. She and her husband are now living at 404 San Antonio St., Santa Fe, New Mexico.

1900—Dr. Alice Ballou Eliot is spending the winter at 556 Padilla St., San Gabriel, Calif.

1902—Mary Edna Budlong has been made head of the History Department at Classical High School.

1905—Bessie Leahy Crowley's son, John, has been selected as a candidate for a Rhodes scholarship.

1905—Cora Whitaker Townsend has been treasurer of her class for 32 years

and so successful, tactful, and understanding has she been that the class presented her with a surprise reward—a gold pin engraved with her initials to hold her Phi Beta Kappa key. This is a wonderful tribute. We hope that other class treasurers will take heart.

1912—Elsie Anderson Cowles and her husband (A. Lee Cowles) are building a home in Thetford, Vermont.

1912—Margaret Church has purchased a white cottage on a Lyndon, Vermont, hilltop, and will occupy it summers.

1912—Dorothy C. Walter is spending the winter in East Burke, Vermont, within a short distance of her sister, Elizabeth Walter Nelson, 1915.

1913—Jessica H. Barr is working for the Social Security Board in Washington, in its Publications Division of the Information Section. She is living at the Allies' Inn, 1703 New York Ave., Washington, D. C.

1913—Helen Hastings Callard entertained the members of the class at her home last month. In addition to the local members, Elva Lake came from Boston and Marion Green, who winters in Tryon, N. C., was able to be present.

1913—Lillian Davenport Shore (Mrs. Edwin W.) and family are at 399 North Mentor Ave., Pasadena, Calif.

1914—Hermione Dealey Dvorak (Mrs. August) and her husband are at 5532 34th Ave., N. E., Seattle. Hermione gives courses in psychology each summer at the University of Washington.

1917—Ruth Hall is teaching at the Cathedral School, Garden City, Long Island.

1917—Dr. Grace E. Hawk is on sabbatical leave from Wellesley this year. She spent a month in the whirl of diplomatic society in Rio de Janeiro, then flew to Panama, and went from there by boat to Los Angeles. She is now working in the Huntington Library in her special field, which is 17th century literature. Her address is The Athenaeum, 561 South Hill St., Pasadena.

1921—Lucille Crapo Griffin (Mrs. Stanley) and her husband are occupying their new home at Fells Road and Hillbury Road, Essex Falls, N. J.

1922—Caroline E. Macdonald is taking a year off to do some writing. She is living at 119 East 39th St., New York City.

1923—Ellen C. Stokes is also taking a year off from teaching and is studying at

the University of Chicago. She is living at International House.

1924—Ruth D. Johnson is at the William Pitt Apts., No. 8, 5610 Elmer St., Pittsburgh, Penn.

1925—Catherine Hebert Loomis and her husband (W. Bruce) have moved from Washington to Granby, Conn.

1926—Imogen Fenner has been placed in charge of the Gift Shop at Shepard's in Providence.

1927—Susanna F. Donahue is teaching in Bristol, Conn., and living at 228 Summer St.

1928—Alice O'Connor Chmielewski and husband, Alexander, have simplified the spelling of their name, which previously had several more letters in it.

1929—Ella Faulds is teaching in Brockport, N. Y., and living at 15 Hillcrest Parkway.

1930—Alice Walter Fulton and family are living at 4009 Castleman Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Her husband is connected with the Medical School of the University of St. Louis.

1930—Isabella Jack is in Seattle as an exchange teacher from Classical High School in Providence. She is living at the Spring Apt. Hotel, Apt. 992, Fifth Ave. and Spring St.

1930—Verna Follett Spaeth, in addition to her duties as a Wesleyan professor's wife and mother of a small daughter, is Treasurer of the Girl Scout Council, member of the Women's Executive Committee of the "Y," member of the Case Review Board of the Middletown Family Welfare Association, vice-president in charge of the

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1931—Louise Bauer is private secretary to Mr. Archar M. Huntington, well-known patron of art in New York City. Miss Bauer's headquarters are at 1 East 89th Street.

1931—Lydia W. Mason turned down the teaching positions offered by two prominent women's colleges in New England to pursue a business career in Cincinnati. Her address is 929 Nassau Street.

1931—Lucy Daniel Meehan and her aviator husband (Lieut. Arthur W.) are at Randolph Field, Texas.

1932—Adeline C. Gould is teaching English in the Woonsocket Senior High School. She lives at 129 Bennett St., in that city.

1932—Marion L. White is greatly improved in health. She is living at 1435 Alvarado Terrace, Los Angeles.

1933—Jennie J. Curtis is a social worker at the N. H. State Hospital in Concord, N. H.

1933—Louise Grunberger is teaching in Stamford, Conn.

1933—Doris Sahl's mail has been returned to us from Stamford. Can someone help us to locate her?

1933—Dorothy E. Poole is working for Ginn & Co., and living at 15 Pinckney St., Boston.

1934—Eleanor L. Campbell is doing laboratory and research work at the Boston State Hospital in Dorchester.

1934—Dorothea Carr is teaching at the Woodrow Wilson High School in Washington, D. C., and is living at Immaculata Seminary, 4300 Wisconsin Ave.

1934—Ellen M. Clarke is teaching at the Calef Junior High School, Johnston, R. I.

1935—Ruth Bate is doing biological work at Carnegie Institution of Washington at Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island, N. Y.

1935—Barbara E. Gaisford is doing social work in the Children's Bureau in the State House. She has been suffering from the painful experience of a broken jaw. She and her family have moved to 41 Blackmore Ave., Eden Park.

1935—Miriam Hallen is teaching in the East Providence Junior High School.

1935—Catherine Jodoin is teaching history and civics at the new Griswold High School in Jewett City, Conn. Claire Shea is also teaching at the same school.

1935—Constance Saunders is with the Western Electric Co. in Kearny, N. J.

1936—Bernice Bigelow is attending a secretarial school in Washington, D. C.

1936—Marjorie Denzer has moved to 25 East 86th St., New York City.

1936—Laura Lutz is attending the Packard Secretarial School in New York.

1936—Phoebe Merrill Schermerhorn and her husband (Edwin J.) have returned from Hawaii and Mexico and they are liv-

ing at 2021 11th St., Great Bend, Kansas.

1936—Evelyn M. Smith has moved to 45 Halsey St., Providence.

### Deaths

1892 sp.—Mrs. Francis E. Brownell (Florence Haile Bowen), who was a special during the first year that the college was founded, died in the South on December 1, 1936. We regret that we have not full details concerning the life of Mrs. Brownell.

1935—Rita Eloise McMahon, daughter of Mrs. William P. McMahon and the late Mr. McMahon, died in Fall River, Mass., December 17, 1936. Miss McMahon came to Brown from the B. M. C. Durfee High School and immediately entered wholeheartedly into the many college activities. Throughout her four years she was particularly interested in the Debating Club and the International Relations Club. Each year she was among the girls selected to carry the Ivy Chain. Since her graduation Miss McMahon has been doing graduate work in Education and English and had almost completed the work for her M.A. degree. Her sister Margaret is a Junior at Pembroke. The sincere sympathy of her classmates and of the alumnae in general is extended to the family.

## Pembroke Chronicle

BY MARY LOUISE HINCKLEY '37

YULE-TIDE festivities were brought to a grand climax at the college with three very successful dances held at Miller and Metcalf, and in Alumnae Hall under the sponsorship of "Brun Mael." The traditional holly, mistletoe, and Christmas trees transformed the halls into gala spots of revelry.

"Christmas week" was marked by the fourth annual presentation by the German Club of Brown and Pembroke of a Christmas mystery, the Christmas Vesper service, planned by Miss Davis, and the Christmas parties and breakfasts in the dorms. An innovation this year followed the Vesper service in Alumnae Hall. The assembly adjourned to the new Playing Field where the Glee Club sang carols and songs under a tall, brightly lighted spruce tree.

Maurice Materlinek's "Sister Beatrice" marked the first major production of the year by Komians. The play, a tragedy based on an old Dutch legend of the 13th century, was set in a convent in the neighborhood of Louvain, and represented a romantic exaltation of love. The production opened with a processional of nuns coming into the audience, preceded by members of the College Choir. "The Komians have set a high mark of excellence in opening their 35th season," said R. V. H. in the review in the *Providence Journal*.

Forty-one Sophomores and Juniors of high academic rating were guests of honor at a meeting of the Women's Section of Rhode Island Alpha of Phi Beta Kappa, at which Prof. Hastings gave a few anecdotes on the history of the society, and Mme. Gertrude Prokosch Kurath presented a lecture-recital on the modern dance—its composition, designs, and movements.

To interest students in vocations early in their college years, the Vocational Guidance Club brought to its semi-annual assembly three recent alumnae who spoke about

the three occupations which they represent. They were: Helena P. Hogan '30, state psychometrist; Katherine B. Burt '32, a social worker with the Department of Public Aid; and Miss Ruth C. Whitaker '34, personnel worker in a department store.

Pembroke Debating Society chalked up its second victory in its second debate of the season when it met the team from Middlebury on the issue: "Resolved: That electric utilities should be governmentally owned and operated." Pembroke won over Lafayette College in November in its first debate as member of the Eastern Intercollegiate Debating League. Both times it argued on the affirmative side.

A quadrangular conference of the Athletic Associations of Pembroke, Jackson, Wheaton, and Radcliffe was held during the month at Radcliffe for the purpose of discussing athletic problems and interests of the four women's colleges. Miss Rudd and four officers of the A. A. represented Pembroke.

Three officers of the International Relations Club attended a conference of the I. R. C. of New England at Clark University in Worcester. The meeting was held in co-operation with the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

Prof. Paul Rowland of the American College in Sofia, Bulgaria, who is an exchange professor of English at Brown this year, was the speaker at a recent college assembly, describing life in Bulgaria. In introducing Prof. Rowland, Dean Morriss pointed out that Pembroke is tangibly linked with the American College at Sofia. Several years ago Pembroke students helped to furnish the girls' sitting room in a new building at the Bulgarian college, and at present an alumna of Brown, Margaret Rydberg Sanders, is, according to Prof. Rowland, "the best woman teacher in the Bulgarian College."

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